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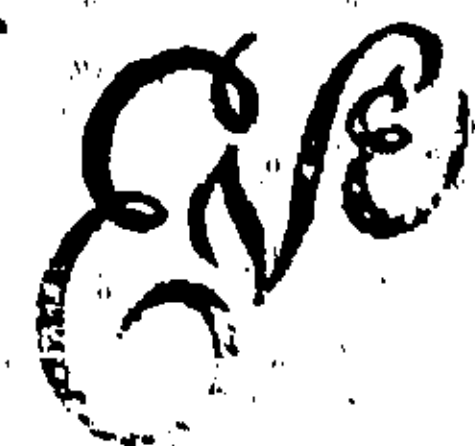
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ROUND THE SHOPS

The weather has been so delightfully cool this week that it has been quite pleasant for shopping—and window shopping. I do a lot of the latter, for though I cannot always afford what I want to buy, I nevertheless find plenty of fun looking at the many nice things that are on view in the local shops. One of the first shops I called at was Eve's who have on display a very charming array of Italian leather goods in the shape of embossed and tooled bags, purses and handbags. They are rather on the expensive side but then that is only to be expected for they are really first class goods and what is even more important, every article is hand-made.

LANE CRAWFORD'S

Lane Crawford's appear to be making a special effort to supply the ladies of Hong Kong with the newest and cutest evening dresses. Two in peach satin, one with a shaded feather coat and the other trimmed with brown velvet and they were both so nice that I could hardly take my eyes off them. There was also a peach coloured dress with brown cellophane fringe coat while a perfect dream was a copper satin dress with coatee to match. Then there was an orange coloured crepe silk coat finished off with brown velvet but best of all was one in silver lame with the square neck, the lines of which cannot be described as anything else but beautiful.

AT MAIZEE'S

Making my way to Maizee's, I found that they too were having a show of beautiful evening dresses, but these were in the latest and absolutely the latest of materials which has a woolly texture to it—each one with a coat to match. With others in silks

and silk taffetas there were tinsel coats to match and I was told that each one of them was specially designed for the various film stars and that they were copied and sent out to Hong Kong. As is usually known Maizee's has "Always Something Next."

HATS, BEAUTIFUL HATS

Mayo's has long since been called the home of beautiful hats but perhaps it would be safe to say that the latest stock they have in hats are about the best that ever came to these far off shores. The hats with the shallow brims which look so snappy when worn at a rakish angle are there in plenty, but the best part about it all is that no two hats are alike. I saw an old hat there last week and believe it or not, I could not recognise the thing when it was shown me yesterday, so completely was it dry-cleaned or renovated.

THE BEAUTY SHOP

When Marie first opened her beauty parlour, not many people heard about it but now that it has been doing business for a few weeks all the women who take a personal pride in the way their hair is done are flocking to this modern beauty parlour. As I said before, Marie, personally supervises all work that is done while she can give a marcel or permanent wave in a way known only to this popular hair-dresser.

Aurelia's

Aurelia's is another shop who do wonders with old hats which are cleaned and remodelled by them in an almost unbelievable manner. I saw one that was "treated" by them and it would be no exaggeration to say that perhaps the owner herself did not recognise it after Aurelia had remodelled it.

LATEST GOSSIP FROM LONDON

London, Oct. 13.

The attractions of the "Little Season," which lasts from October to Christmas, will be greatly enhanced by the wedding of Prince George and Princess Marina.

Already a hundred Mayfair drawingrooms are wanted for one of the biggest seasons of committee meetings ever known. This is because of the revival of charity balls, or which there will be at least three a week during the "Little Season."

Society hostesses will be meeting every Tuesday from the end of September till Christmas arranging these functions, which will include sports balls, at which one can skate as well as dance, pageant balls, "straight" balls, at which one only dances, and cabaret balls.

At the Kaleidoscope Ball, to be held on Dec. 11, sparring exhibitions will take the place of the conventional ball.

COMMITTEE MEETING

In addition to the attraction of seeing famous homes, many of them historic, members of the latest type of committee meeting, after half an hour or so of intensive work, stay on to dance a little between tea and dinner.

Several celebrated drawing-rooms will be used as committee rooms during October. These include those of a Royal residence, of the Duchess of Devonshire's house in Carlton gardens and at Admiralty House.

Committee members are also interested to visit the homes of the "young marrieds," for these represent the work of leading decorative artists and are full of new ideas in furnishing and colour schemes, which visitors subsequently borrow for their own homes!

CREATING FASHIONS

A well-known London dress-maker, tired of the secrecy that surrounds the creation of new fashions, has decided to design his models before an audience. Clients will be allowed to enter his "Model-making room," where, against an all-white setting, the fashion creator sits at his desk playing with his sketch and studying the pattern of an exclusive fabric beside it.

He swings round to the tiny stage behind him where, with the aid of a mannequin, lengths of the fabric, and two spotlights, the model is constructed under his inspection.

This fashion-designer's new show-room has willow-green walls. Here the mannequins suddenly appear in a frame of

light, provided by a shining doorway of chromium illuminated by concealed lights.

Clients are fitted in rooms inspired by luxury cabins on liners, with peach-coloured walls and curtains and artificial daylight.

AN ESPECIALLY BRIGHT IDEA
Sleeves this autumn and winter will offer plenty of choice.

The bishop sleeve has far more vogue than it had last year and looks graceful and pretty in soft materials like satin.

Some sleeves are long and tight and some are like the old shirt sleeve with cuffs. The bishop sleeves make a good deal of the cuff, which gives scope for variety in shape and embroidery.

There are Chinese sleeves with wide forearm and there are sleeves which are full above the elbow and tight below. The set-in shoulder and the seamless shoulder are about equal in popularity.

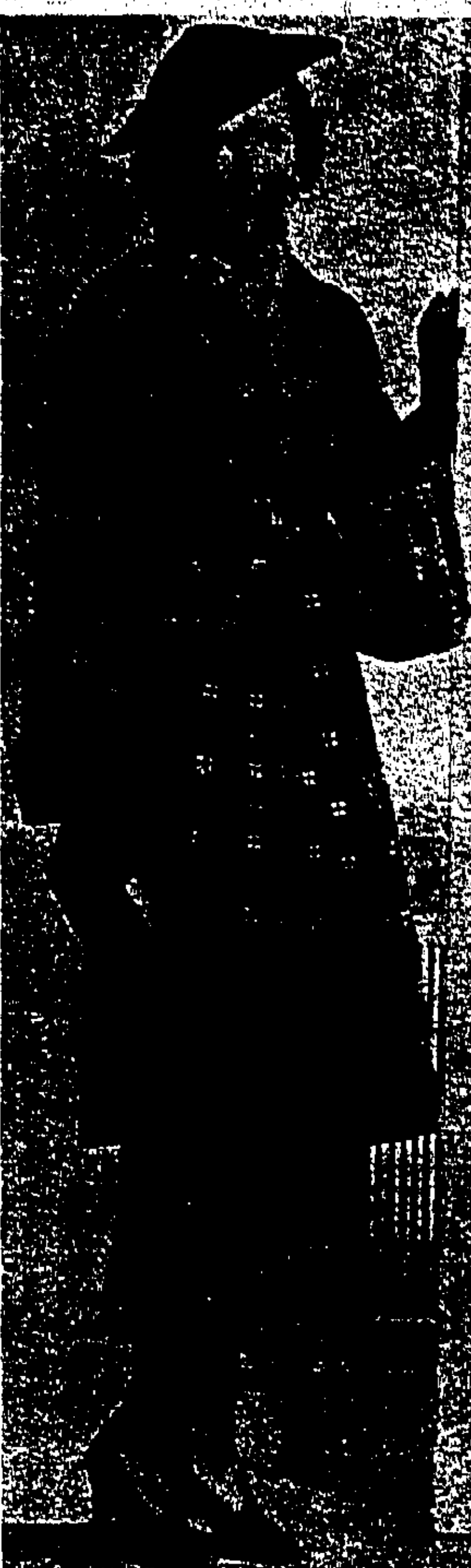
The "wireless message" handkerchief has a telephone number embroidered in the corner. It is unbeatable for dropping by accident!

SUNSHADE FABRICS

Sunshades and rainproofs are made in a variety of easily cleaned fabrics. There are silk oilskins in summer tints, and heavier crepe de chimes in white and cream and pale colours which have been treated so as to acquire a waterproof surface.

Beach bags and cushions, in the gayest of cretonnes, are both waterproof and washable, and waterproof shoes for children have made their appearance in West End stores.

They are made in calf, one of the favourite designs being in brown and white.



Created from her original design was this attractive suit worn by Betty Furness, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer player. The suit is created in grey and gold rabbit's hair woolen. The three quarter length coat features the new tucker shoulder line and front tie belt. To complete the ensemble Miss Furness chooses a new coolie hat of brown French felt, brown gloves, purse and slippers.

TRIUMPHS OF THE COIFFURE

Return of Loose Waves and Curls

Hair-Dressing styles are for ever changing, and new triumphs in plastic coiffure are being evolved.

The loose wave, the swirled coil, the coquettish curl, have all come back, but in new aspects.

The way which the hair is lifted is very becoming, for the lines of the head and nape of the neck are left clear.

Short hair is cunningly swathed—as though it were a drapery—and the effect is to make it appear long. For day-time the sideways swirled shingle is possibly the easiest and neatest style. Sometimes two or three tiny curls are arranged of masculine cut.

Very charming are these low-back curls, especially when added to the new rolls in the centre. Another idea is for the hair to be pulled straight back from each side, to meet in a centre roll, with increasing curls on top, front and sides.

NEW LOOSE COATS

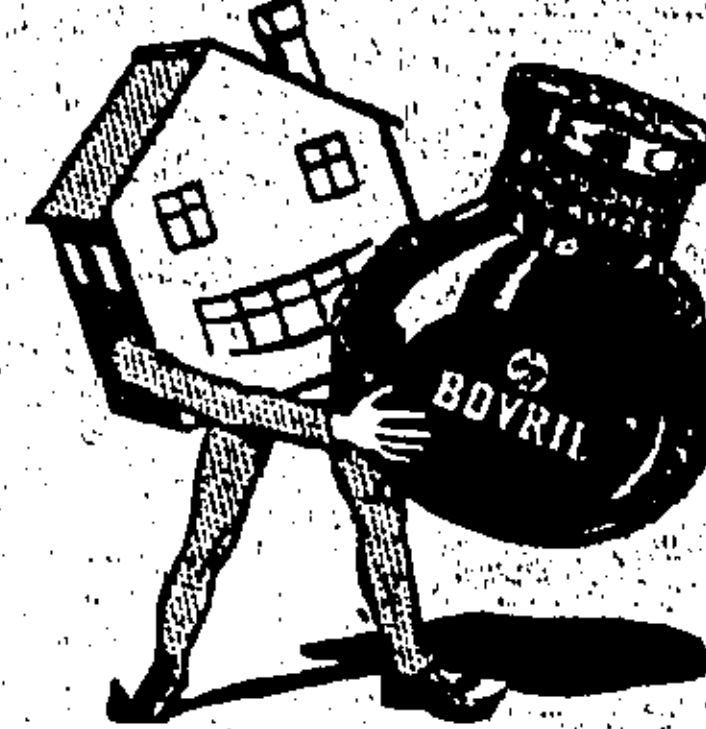
The new loose coats, with belt or sash, worn over tight skirts, are reminiscent of the Russian blouse.

They are usually in bright colours, and worn with skirt and top-coat in a dark contrasting shade.



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FASHIONS FROM EVERYWHERE

London

Such queer little sugar-loaf or "candle-muffer" hats, women are wearing in London now! They go up to a point in front, and tie in a bow on the brim, and they are of felt, mostly, in dark colours.

With furs, the small beret turban, usually in black, is seen a good deal, and is likely to be even more in evidence as winter comes. The cage veil is used with it successfully, since fur collars are no longer unwrapping at the neck.

Dyed black seal skin, in a lovely shade of brown, makes smart three-quarter coats. The spaulter fever has quickly died out, and in its stead the chest is much covered with tabs and flaps and adjustable revers, which do not muffle the throat, however.

Little velvet blouses are smart, in dark greens and browns, with tweed suits, and with the sugar-loaf felt hat I've already described are young-looking and attractive.

Cossack caps of fur have a jester's peak to pull them up to a point.

Cloaks and capes in material are to be seen quite as much as in fur. Belts are seen even on fur-lined tailored tweed top coats for flying or walking.

We are to have some amusing novelties this winter. One of the latest ideas to startle London is the fact that coat buttons on sports coats are, in some cases, being made of Brazil nuts. It is quite novel to have edible coat buttons!



THAT GRACEFUL FIGURE

It Is Never Too Late To Begin

If you want to retain a graceful, youthful figure keep that waistline supple!

Consider how a child walks, runs and sits. His waistline is as flexible as a wide rubber band.

It's never too late to begin exercising to attain this suppleness and its companion qualities, grace and poise. For poise does come from within and an awkward body is not conducive to graceful bearing.

So do your exercises with a double purpose in mind. First, to be limber and supple. Second, to build health and poise. Let's begin with stretching and bending.

Touch Your Toes

When you have brushed your teeth and taken two full glasses of warm water, stand before an open window and stretch.

Raise your hands upward, trying to touch the ceiling and feeling your torso being pulled up, up, up. Relax after each stretch and repeat at least five times. Then begin bending.

Keeping your knees stiff, swing your hands downward to the floor. You won't be able to touch it the first morning, but after a week, you will. Do it ten times.

"Disbarred"

Willesden woman: I went to my husband's favourite pub and while I was searching the bars for him, he came in and, accused me of drinking. I said he had come to look for me!

Paris

Paris and sunshine. What finer setting could there be for the lovely autumn creations of the famous fashion houses, and all the social elegance that is so truly Parisienne?

I have seen some delightful clothes of the daintiest and newest colours imaginable. One outfit, for example, of attractive chestnut-coloured woven fabric, draped at the neck opening and held up at the side by a huge diamond clasp was very distinctive.

The dress was worn with a coat of chestnut velvet (made, without lapels), which opened widely in the front and had half-length sleeves.

The latter increased rapidly in width from the shoulder to finish with quite astonishing fullness at the elbow.

A striking wide flat-brimmed capeline hat, with a tiny crown, was trimmed with brown and champagne coloured velvet ribbons, arranged to alternate and finishing in a great bow in front. Hat, gloves and the belt were all in brown.

Cylinders of cork and strips of bamboo are being used to decorate new autumn dresses and street outfits. Evening dresses fasten down the back, and many are finished off thus with diamond buttons. Some picture frocks have one or more of these buttons on them.

White ornaments are being used on black dresses. A bunch of grapes in white as a belt or coat fastening is a novelty I have lately seen.

Plaster masks are another new idea in this connection, and this week I saw a girl wearing a black cloth coat, the double revers collar of which was fastened each side with a fair sized silver fleur de lis ornament.

"DEAD" SHADES

Live Again In Latest Dress Creations

There are designers who always prefer what are termed the "dead" shades, dark, deep tones peculiarly adapted to the richer fabrics of winter, such as velvet, lamé, lamé-moiré, the thick reversible "satins," old-fashioned faille and taffetas.

How very attractive in its modern "resurrection" is that familiar mulberry or prune, the ripe purple plum, mixed with dull-metallic weaves, or in its richness and stiffness. These shades will be moulded to the figure in velvet, lamé, satin or taffeta, flaring out at the feet.

A dark prune can show a contrasting frill of soft salmon pink, the two colours being picked up by a wonderful posy of shaded poppies or orchids. The floral cluster, worn in many ways, is a factor in both afternoon and evening toilettes. The scarf, or sash can also emphasise the brighter colour, as worn with the darker frock, but floral decorations will be there as well.

This flower fashion is distinctly of the 19th century trend, and will become more marked as the modern poise of elegance gains.

The soft fur and velvet coat, lace blouse and satin wrap seem to be associated with the sweet-smelling cluster of violets, carnations, lilies and orchids.

These posies were mostly real blooms thirty years ago, for the artificial flower had not attained the beauty of to-day. Both will have their fair share of popularity, and there are indications of the clever mixing of the real blossoms with the copies.

These dark and dull-surfaced colours are the best background for the charm of floral decoration. The metal threads and woven sparkling patterns are best left with their own brilliance.

A cluster of white camellias with a dark golden tissue is beautiful, as are the more delicate shades of colour with silver, but the new flashing fabrics, full of light and brightness, must be treated in simpler ways.

New York

So far, not many changes in line have been revealed in the advance displays of autumn fashions here. But one thing is definite—clothes are out to be formal.

Velvet is everywhere for daytime suits and coats and evening gowns. The formality of the fabric is emphasised by the elaborate fur trimmings.

One of the newest ways with fur is to work it in a tiered effect. This is achieved by narrowing the pelts and working them so that they appear to overlap.

Many of the cloth coats have detachable fur trimmings in the form of cape collars and stoles. When these are removed and exchanged for cravats in velvet to match berets, the coats still retain a formal touch by fur trimmings remaining on the sleeves.

Feather mounts are in high favour on hats. Tricorns for luncheon or five o'clock tea frequently sport little feathery fronds of the osprey character. Berets, which are still very much in vogue, content themselves with flat quills in vivid colours.

Tunic dresses and tunic ensembles completed with knee-length or full length coats are in prominence. One of the newest tunics has been dubbed the "Minaret."

The skirt sweeps out in an exaggerated and slightly stiffened bell line which ends a few inches above the knees. I saw one the other day in gleaming ivory satin. The hemline was piped with thick cord to make it retain its stand-away hem. It was combined with a dull satin skirt in black.

Sequins are back again E. Altman, one of the smart Fifth Avenue stores, recently gave over an entire window to sequin-embroidered evening gowns and suits.

The jacket suits for theatre wear were interesting. They comprised a slim cut skirt, a light blouse embroidered with sequins, and fitted jackets with sequin revers. Some of the gowns had softly cut and sequin embroidered revers hanging from the backs of the décolletés.

There seems to be a definite trend towards achieving a suggestion of glitter in dresses. Many of the velvets for evening feature metallic stripes that give changeable shadings to gowns as they go to and fro under the lights.

Metal trimmings are used on tailored cloth—day tunic outfits and basques are much in evidence. Jackets to suits frequently have rather full box-pleated basques. Afternoon gowns content themselves with tiny flared basques.

Sometimes they are only featured at the back, leaving the fronts of the dresses clinging closely and plainly to the figure. The "debs" are rediscovering the charm of the basque in taffetas and velvet evening gowns cut on semi-picture lines.

SWANSDOWN REVIVED FOR LINGERIE

Another Victorian Vogue

Swansdown is so soft and becoming that no wonder the lingerie designers are finding all sorts of ways with this feathery adornment for bodice novelties for the coming season.

Little coats of delicately coloured, washable satin and silk have sleeves and deep capes made entirely of swansdown dyed in the same colour. Sometimes the use is reversed, and the coat is of swansdown with wide sleeves of satin.

Many of the new luxury dressing gowns have inside fronts of swansdown, which also makes a wide border at the outside edges of the gown. In other models of satin the cape fashion is carried out in feather.

The fashion for swansdown goes back to Victorian days, when dyed in deep queer Victorian colours, maroon, puce, and peacock blue, it "trimmed" cashmere polonaise and bustle dresses. Now it is seen in all the most delicate hues imaginable, and makes an ideal finish for bodice coats, dressing gowns, muftis, and other of the dresser's incidentals in lingerie fashions.

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The actual silhouette has not greatly changed. This is the impression left by the week's dress shows. There is possibly in afternoon and evening dress a more pronounced Edwardian air, especially in the tendency to back-drapery. There is a good deal of fabric-cutting on the cross, which gives the impression of the slanting backwards movement. The evening corsage is variable, and it would seem that fashion remains faithful to the somewhat low back, and in some cases the fronts are cut lower too; but no two décolletage treatments are alike.

Much of the corsage line in evening clothes depends on the sleeves arrangement. Some gowns are sleeveless, yet have a spread-across, winged drapery at the back, between the various lattice-work openings. Another way of treating wings is to have them running down stiffly from the back of the shoulders to nearly the waist-line. This gives an epaulette effect on the shoulders, which has the advantage of making the waist and hips look smaller.

Drapery which has a similar effect in the front is the wide bib-like plastron, caught by a narrow belt the fan-like apron spreading on to the skirt below.

Ribbed Fabrics

Evening dress is rather more complicated, although the desire is to give the impression of smart simplicity. Both cut and materials are very unusual, and there does not seem much hope for any amateur retail that is baffling to the untrained.

Many ribbed fabrics are employed for evening wear, though the stripes here are narrower than those in tweed and wool.

A raised satin stripe and a thick ribbed crepe are very effective, but require skilful cutting. There is a desire to mix two or more materials in a dress, and here many pipings, ruffles, and fringes can be brought in. Narrow velvet, ribbon, kid, jet and sequined lines recall the fads of the late 'nineties, the subtle difference being the lightness of the hand that to-day uses these trimmings. There is no plastered over-weighted effect that spoiled so many Victorian and Edwardian frocks.

We have plenty of decorations and beautiful examples of fine hand and jewelled work. Strappings of gold and silver kid similar to that used in our shoes can trim plain satin frocks. Velvet, edgings may be left plain and flat or cut out in designs. Fringes so far seem narrow for silk and wool, and some good effects are attained in the crystal drop fringe.

Problem of Purple

Purple is gaining in popularity. There are most graceful semi-trained models in purple crepe de Chine and ribbed silk. Purple is essentially a winter colour, and looks its best with white or dyed ermine. A brilliant pink or green-bronze is also an ideal relief shade to purple.

Fancy taffetas in stripes and checks are having a great success for young-looking dresses. Yet this material, with its dark velvet or gold stripe, savours of older days—the debutantes are particularly happy in their choice of quaintly patterned taffetas for the dance and theatre gown. Taffeta does not crush easily or spoil. In fact, a taffeta model can be packed for ages and shake out fresh as ever.

The new ribbed failles and satins also possess this quality, which is not one to be despised when one's wardrobe is limited. Some velvets crush much more easily than others—a point to be remembered when indulging in this fabric.

For cocktail time nothing is more effective than the new wool woven sequined fabrics. The colours are mostly on the dark side, which show up the sparkling effect of tiny bright sequins or mirrored squares in glass. Black, brown, green and aubergine are all pleasing shades when lit up by these sparkling studs. A heavy black crepe, is good when sprinkled with jet beads, or black wool with white and silver.

Jet Beads

Braces of jet and narrow panels of the same have come in again as decoration for dull black chiffon and georgette. Wide belts of jet or studded silver sequins are worn on white frocks, with small capelets of the same. This is a helpful fashion when the frock is sleeveless.

Another rich evening colour is wall-flower. Again, it should be only in rich materials. Medial, too, is lovely for silk or velvet, but somewhat loses its charms in wool.

There is no doubt that all the eighteenth and nineteenth century colours are best in the richest of wintry fabrics, and the lighter chiffons can gain distinction by the weaves or trimmings of metal and synthetic stones.

Fur is plentifully used for night or day. Despite its charm, it looks as if we may become a bit over-furred this winter. Plenty of feathers from the familiar barn-door fowl to the elegant ostrich fairy fanns are there to ring the changes. For chilly nights the feather cape is charming. Muffs of fur and feather are among the extras that are full of feminine charm.



TAILORED FROCKS

With Coats To Match

Fashion has approved numerous colours for autumn wear, but the smartest is bronze green. All greens from "rifle," which is almost black, to a light green with some yellow in it are correct, but bronze green is the most chic, and looks better still when used in company with brown fur.

Tailored Frocks

Simple, tailored, woollen house frocks are going to be important this autumn. Every designer in Paris showed them, some are carried out in bronze green ribbed material, with fine tucks for trimming at the neck, waist and rising from the hem.

For colder days there is a full-length coat, of the same material and finished with a collar of pale bronze fox fur.

Coat Like a Cape

Equally good to wear is a coat and skirt of bronze green diagonal tweed flecked with grey. The coat has a belt starting from either side, a plain back and a narrow collar of brown Indian lamb. Another green suit has a long coat with draped revers of the tweed outlining a wide collar of brown lamb.

A coat may look like a cape at the back.

To wear with a dress of their woollen fabric in the new dark brown mushroom shade Jays Ltd. show a coat to match, but in heavier material. To the coat there is attached from the shoulders across the back a loose panel which gives a smart swing cape effect.



FLOWER BRACELETS

For the evening, corsage bouquets and bracelets of scarlet flowers are pleasing.

Plain dresses for evening wear are of black velvet or double-satin worn with coats of platinum tissue, lined with velvet, and a collar of silver fox. One may be sure that the latter accessory is always in fashion. For this year is a practicable purchase on account of it being the smartest dress asset imaginable!

BRIGHT COLOURS THE VOGUE

The colours this season are especially lovely. A good deal of mauvish amethyst will be worn for the evening, and in day time as at night, a definite purple violet.

I have seen a street outfit in this shade with a jumper of orange rust colour; for the evening, purple taffetas, relieved with white, is surprisingly successful for blonde or brunette. Flame red and begonia tones are shown for evening, too, and rust shades which have a blending of Egyptian red in their composition.

The woman who has to wear, each season, something new and fashionable usually chooses a middle-course so as to avoid the eccentricity of fashions which always seems to accompany novelty. This winter there are many new ideas to choose, or rather from which to "weed out" and some very beautiful materials, including, of course, the new and popular uncrushable velvet. This is particularly attractive in bronze black, which looks so regal because of its sheer richness. It is like an Eastern jewel.

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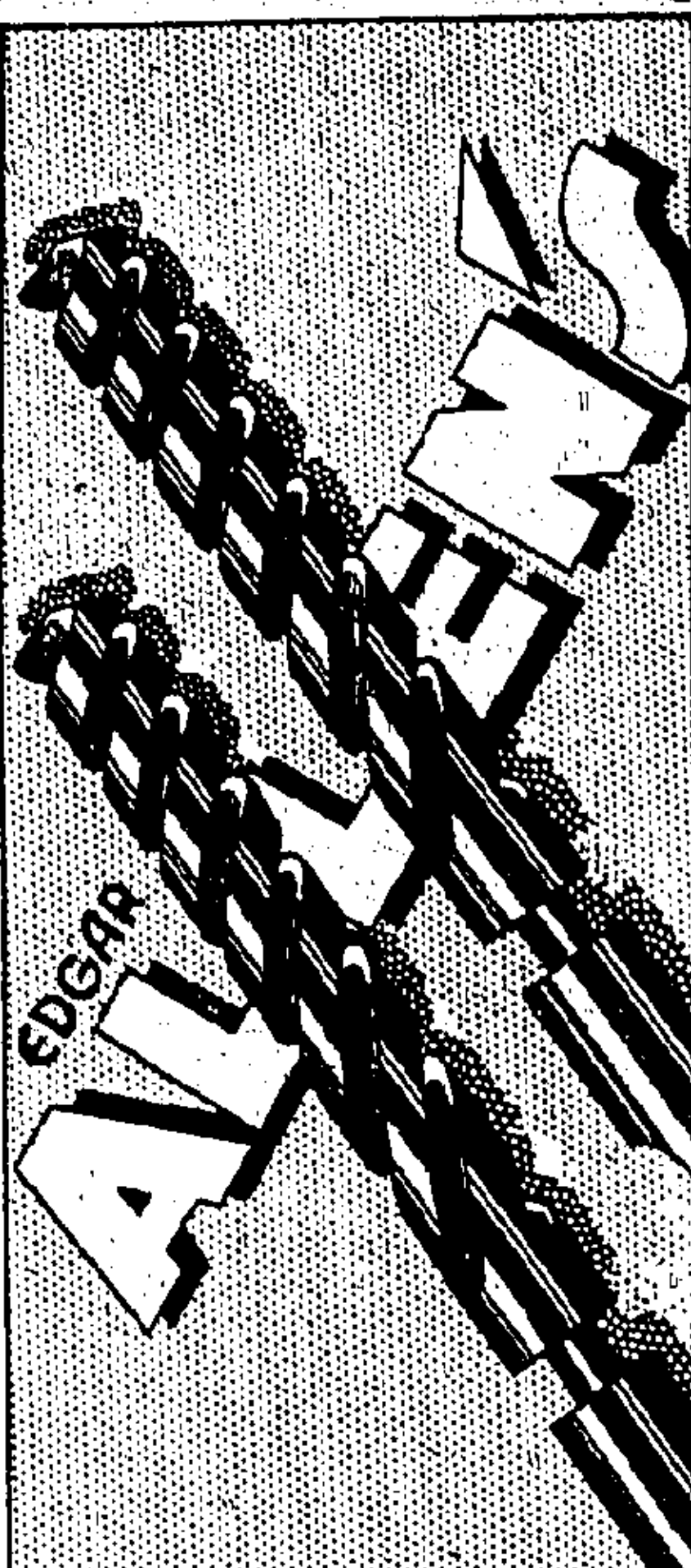
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12.15 p.m.—European Programme.
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music.
1.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room. (by courtesy of the Management).

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

7.08-7.25 p.m.—Vocal Gems.

Lady Luck (Rodgers).

The Vagabond King (Friml)—Light Opera Company.

Rio Rita (McCarthy).

Follow Through (Brown)—Light Opera Company.

7.25-8 p.m.—Variety.

Waltz—Underneath the Blue Hawaiian Skies.

Waltz—Sweet Hawaiian Dream Girl—The Hawaiian Marimba Players.

Organ Solos—I Want to be Snappy—Sidney Torch.

Song—This is Romance.

Song—It's only a Paper Moon—Conrad Thibault. (Baritone).

Xylophone Solo—12th Street Rag.

Xylophone Solo—Kitten on the Keys—Harry Robbins.

Vocal—Ella Jane Terriss and Seymour Hicks—Medley—Ella Jane Terriss and Seymour Hicks.

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.50 p.m.—From the Studio.

Dance Music by the Orchestra of “R.M.S. Rajaputana.”

Programme

Fox-Trot—Bugle Call Rag.

Fox-Trot—With all my Heart.

Fox-Trot—Little man you've had a busy day.

Waltz—I Love you truly.

Fox-Trot—I Found you in my Dreams.

Fox-Trot—Let's fall in Love.

Fox-Trot—Business in F.

Fox-Trot—A Thousand Good-nights.

Fox-Trot—Oh you nasty man.

Waltz—Love is a Song.

Fox-Trot—When you've got a little Springtime in your heart.

Fox-Trot—Dancing in the Moonlight.

Waltz—It's time to say Good-night.

8.50-9 p.m.—Vocal Gems from “The Chocolate Soldier” (Stange and Strauss) by the Columbia Light Opera Company.

9-10.25 p.m.—A Classical Programme.

Choral—Old English Folk Songs:

(a) A Farmer's Son.

(b) Now is the Month of May—English Singers.

Pianoforte—Partita in B flat (Bach)—Harold Samuel.

(a) Sarabande.

(b) Menuets Nos. 1 and 2.

(c) Gigue.

Orchestral—Overture in D Minor (Handel, arr. Elgar)—London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates.

Concerto No. 7 for Organ and Orchestra. (Handel)—London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates. Organist: Herbert Dawson.

Concerto No. 13 for Organ and Orchestra.

(a) Bourree.

(b) Cuckoo and Nightingale.

Orchestral—Chorale—Prelude (We believe in one God Alone) (Bach)—Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski.

9.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

Symphony No. 35 in D Minor (“Haffner” Symphony) (Mozart)—Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York conducted by Toscanini.

1st Movement—Allegro con spirito.

2nd Movement—Andante.

3rd Movement—Menuetto.

4th Movement—Finale—Presto.

Concerto in E Minor, Op. 64 (Mendelssohn)—Fritz Kreisler (Violin) and the State Opera Orchestra conducted by Dr. Leo Blech.

1st Movement—Allegro Molto appassionato.

2nd Movement—Andante.

3rd Movement—Allegretto non troppo.

10.25 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further London Stock and Commodity Quotations, followed by New York Opening Quotations.

10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

THE MISSION TO LEPERS

Diamond Jubilee Meetings

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, Oct. 15.

The Mission to Lepers celebrated its diamond jubilee by meetings in the Kingsway Hall, London.

Greetings were received from branches of the mission abroad as well as from lepers in homes of the mission in different parts of the world. These included a banner sent by lepers in Central China, on which was written in Chinese characters, “Kindness to Chinese People.”

Lord Meston presided at a meeting in the afternoon, when Mr. W. H. F. Anderson, general secretary, read messages that had been received, including one from the lepers.

It was stated that of those present at the founding of the mission only Mr. Wellesley C. Bailey, the founder, remained, and the meeting sent him a message of congratulation.

Lord Meston said that only those who had seen the unfortunate victims of leprosy could realize fully the splendid work of the representatives of the mission who ministered to the sufferers. The record of the mission, covering 60 years, was one of quiet heroism in different parts of the world. Lepers had not only been helped in their suffering, but the mission had brought them into the fold of happy Christians.

Mr. Walter B. Sloan, a member of the council, said that, a feature in the growth of the mission had been the increasing recognition of its work, particularly by representatives of the Government in India, and they were grateful for the sympathetic leading article which appeared in “The Times.” The mission had developed during the last 10 years, and its work must be esteemed, not only because of its philanthropic character, but because it was on a spiritual foundation.

Addresses were given by Bishop G. A. Chambers (Central Tanganyika), the Rev. E. B. Sharpe (Peru), the Rev. W. H. Geller (Siam), the Rev. W. H. Geller (Siam), and the Rev. F. A. Crawshaw (secretary for Australia).

RICKSHAWS IN CANTON

From Our Special Correspondent
Canton, Oct. 31.

The number of rickshaws in Canton was recently increased from 5,500 to 6,000. The Municipal Bureau of Public Utilities permitted this increase owing to unemployment among truck pullers with the increase of motor lorries. Nowadays transportation in the city is done by motor vehicles, whose cost is only slightly more than that of carts drawn by coolies.

Six companies are operating the rickshaws. The Municipal Bureau of Public Utilities require the operating companies to furnish each rickshaw puller with a rain-proof hat and cap.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

9 p.m. Opening Announcement
Dja
German Folk Song
Programme—Forecast (German-English)

9.15 p.m. Special Woman's Programme

9.45 p.m. News in English

10 p.m. Concert from Hamburg: Conductor: Eigel Krutge

11 p.m. Recitation from German Poetry

11.15 p.m. News in German

11.30 p.m. “Songs from the Countess” Selections for Soprano and Instrumental Accompaniment by Kurt Bruggemann

1.15 a.m. News in English

1.30 a.m. Close down Dja

3.15 p.m. Big Ben. A Military Band Concert with Raymond Newell (Baritone)

4 p.m. A Cinema Organ Recital Greenwich Time Signal at 8.15 a.m.

4.30 p.m. Talk: “Through Time and Space” Sir James Jeans, F.R.S.

4.50 p.m. The News and Announcements, followed by Fruit Market Notes, supplied by the Intelligence Branch of the Imperial Economic Committee

5.20 p.m. Close down

LONDON NOTES

By The Air Mail

(From Our Own Correspondent)
London, Oct. 15.

Miss Regina Evans thoroughly deserved the tribute paid to her by Lord Bayford at the end of the Conservative Party Conference at Bristol.

He spoke of her readiness to meet difficult situations, her self-possession in emergency, and her general ability.

Miss Evans is the third woman to preside over this important political assembly. The first was Dame Caroline Bridgeman, who was chairman at Scarborough in 1928. Her success led to the choice for the London conference in 1930 of the Countess of Iveagh.

After the conference Miss Evans smilingly confessed to a friend that she had been nicknamed “The Iron Dictator,” and explained that she had to be firm in order to complete the long programme in the two days.

Col. George Herbert, who is to be the next president of the National Union, is a son of the Earl of Pembroke and a Gentleman Usher to the King.

He has long been a hard worker for the Conservative cause, and his election has given general satisfaction in the party.

TEMPORARY CELEBRITIES

Americans are more fickle towards their celebrities than we are. The new edition of “Who's Who in America,” omits nearly 2,500 names that appeared in the last issue.

Death accounts for some of these deletions, but the great majority are Republicans who lost their offices when the Democrats came in, and are not now considered worthy of mention.

But the book is no slimmer for these omissions. More than 3,000 Democrats and “New Dealers” enter its pages for the first time.

The Insults Omitted

Two notable deletions are the names of Mr. Samuel Insull, who is standing his trial in Chicago, and of his brother, Mr. Martin Insull. Only in very exceptional circumstances is a name deleted from the English reference books. Once in their pages, a person remains there for life, irrespective of the vicissitudes of office.

RECORDS WHILE YOU WAIT

Before long, you may expect to find in hotel vestibules, shops and railway stations a species of robot voice-reproducer.

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KEEPER OF STATE SECRETS

Sir Richard Howarth, who, as deputy for Sir Maurice Hankey, signed the letter asking ex-Cabinet Ministers to return documents in their possession, has an encyclopaedic knowledge of State secrets and a remarkable capacity for hard work.

Tall, and becoming a trifle portly, he has a bustling manner and a keenly developed sense of humour—two attributes that stand him in good stead in his difficult post.

Sir Richard has been associated with the Cabinet Secretariat since the birth of its parent organisation, the secretariat of the Committee of Imperial Defence. That was in 1904.

Unrecorded Cabinets

In the 18th century there existed a “Secretary to the Cabinet,” signed the letter asking ex-Cabinet Ministers to return documents in their possession, has an encyclopaedic knowledge of State secrets and a remarkable capacity for hard work.

As a result, no subject is formally discussed in Cabinet until written statements by the Department of Ministers concerned have been circulated.

Decisions, too, are recorded by the Secretary, who frequently must rely on his own judgement in “taking the sense of the meeting.” These minutes are then approved by the Prime Minister and circulated to the King and his Ministers.

After the war Mr. Asquith favoured a return to the old system, but was overruled.

If He Opens His Mouth

Said a wife at Highgate police court recently: “I told my husband that when he speaks to me he must speak like a gentleman. “Since then he has not spoken a word to me.”

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CABINET DOCUMENTS

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 15.

There is a good deal of curiosity about the occasion of the issue of the demand for the return of Cabinet documents. It will be remembered that the publishers had to withdraw a book by Mr. Lansbury's son because it contained a memorandum his father had prepared for the Labour Cabinet and to publish the book without it. At that time it was generally known that the particular document was of no importance, and that the action was taken because it was feared that other documents of greater importance might find their way into print in the same way.

There are, of course, many documents of which the publication would be undesirable, among other reasons because they affect foreign countries. It has been suggested to-day that some of the documents printed by Mr. Lloyd George in his recent volume of memoirs may have led to this attempt to call in all such papers. It is believed, by the way, that the signatory of a Cabinet document has no copyright in it, and that his consent is not necessary for publication.

Other Views

Other views of the reasons for the demand for the return of Cabinet documents are also put forward. It is said that it is rather late in the day for that because the military authorities have used them as they liked in publishing their accounts of the war. It is contended that it is only now, when the truth is being told, that the documents are being called in. Cabinet documents, however, cannot in any case be published without the consent of the King—which is to say, the Government of the day.

There must be quantities of Cabinet documents of the past in private libraries throughout the country. Nearly all Mr. Gladstone's documents, for instance, are in the library at Hawarden, where they can be studied by accredited students of the period.

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SUNDAY

LILIAN HARVEY
IN
"LOVE, NEVER AGAIN"

POLICEMEN IN
PARIS

On A Busman's
Holiday

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 13.
A party of students from the Metropolitan Police College have just returned from a holiday on the Continent.
It was a busman's holiday. They went—at their own expense—to study French methods of crime detection.
They visited the Police Laboratory in Paris and the famous Lyons Laboratory of Dr. Locard, the nearest approach to Sherlock Holmes in real life.
There they were shown such wonders as the technique by which the analysis of dust in suspects' pockets and trouser-ends has led to the conviction of more than one murderer.

Science and Crime

The French were the pioneers of scientific crime detection in Europe, but other countries are now not far behind them.
In Germany a "murder board" of detectives, each of whom is a specialist, investigates every capital crime.
In Vienna there is a special force of detectives trained in the psychology of criminals.
At Turin police recruits are given a course in forensic medicine.
There is even a medico-legal institute at Cairo which all Egyptian detectives attend.
What Is Needed
We have nothing comparable to

BY WHOSE HAND?

At The Alhambra

A welcome relief from hum-drum screen mystery dramas is provided through "By Whose Hand?" (a fast-moving Columbia production) showing to-day at the Alhambra Theatre. Its rapid-fire series of events take place on a wildly racing express train, which of itself is not a hackneyed locale.
Furthermore, the picture is replete with well-placed dramatic suspense, subtlety, and surprise action. In fact, this reviewer doesn't easily recall such a consistent string of thrills in one film. And they are provided by some really capable actors, such as Ben Lyon, Barbara Weeks and Kenneth Thomson.
The theme hinges on the escape of a "killer" and his intention to even up old underworld scores as well as make a get-a-way. This alone proves a prolific source of possibilities for clever scenario writing. But many other things unfold, and the numerous episodes that take place show to what extent the story has been made to provide an unusual amount of excitement.
A novel, if gruesome, place of concealment is used by Nat Pendleton, who takes the part of Delmar, the hunted man, and many of the threads of the well-developed and logical plot are to be picked up in the baggage car of the train. Mrs. Leonard, a "sorrowing widow" played with merit by Helen Millard, has had to check her dog in the baggage car. Her visits to her pet are frequent, and it works out that they have plot significance. There is sufficient comedy inserted to relieve the more tense moments, and keep the picture from anything like exaggeration.
From the standpoint of camera work, the picture is a distinct triumph. The scenes fairly teem with human interest. Battles for guns in precarious positions on swaying railroad equipment furnish many gripping scenes. The audience does not see the most exciting part of the plot unravelled until toward the end, and interest is thus kept at a high pitch until the very last. And it would be just too bad to tell about it before-hand—because the denouement is a complete surprise.

Ben Lyon, satisfies as Jimmy Hawley, the star reporter of the Gazette, who is assigned to "cover" the Delmar case, but who lands a bigger "scoop" than he figured on. He also lands Barbara Weeks in a delightful, rapid romance. Ethel Kenyon capably portrays Eileen Ayensworth, the girl dope fiend.
William Halligan plays his usual good role of detective, and comedy is supplied by Tom Dugan and Lorin Baker, as bride and groom, respectively.

these "schools laboratories in this country.
Lord Trenchard's new training college is a step in the right direction, but its teaching is not exclusively enough devoted to the detection and prevention of crime. Knowledge of such subjects as the Financial Control of the Police, Recored Systems, Exchequer Grants, and Government Audit, does not help men to catch murderers.
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"HERE COMES THE GROOM"
At The Queen's

Do you remember the unhappy looking lad with the wiggly eyebrows and plaintive stare who made such a comedy hit in "Sitting Pretty"? Well, he's here again, Jack Haley, the one and only, speeding through the hilarious scenes of Paramount's newest comedy farce, "Here Comes the Groom" which is showing to-day at the Queen's Theatre.

Just as gay and refreshing as the Spring season, this cleverly written and expertly directed farce which combines, puccino players, burglars, crooners and family pearls, and achieves laughs and a gorgeous time for all, projects Jack Haley to stardom.
As you might suspect, the central character of the plot is Haley, who becomes an extremely inept burglar to please his "sweetie" Isobel Jewell. A bungled attempt at petty larceny lands him hatless, pantsless and with just an overcoat to cover him, in the pullman suite of a deserted bride, Patricia Ellis.
To save her face, Miss Ellis takes Jack home with her and introduces him to her aunt as her husband—a radio crooner. From then on Jack has to duck the aunt, who wants to hear him croon.
To complicate matters further, Miss Ellis' real sweetheart, Neil Hamilton and Miss Jewell turn up. She's pretending to be a maid so that she can steal the family pearls. Then the crooner makes his entrance and the merry mix-up that follows serves to re-distribute the loving couples so that everybody is happy again and the crooner gets his just desserts—the air!

Out of it all Miss Boland, Miss Ellis, and Neil Hamilton emerge with a set of the most creditable comedy performances it has been our privilege to view for a long time. Sidney Toler, in a small

"SHE LOVES ME NOT"
Coming To The Queen's

Acknowledged the premiere show of the current Broadway season, "She Loves Me Not," the smash stage hit comes to-morrow to the Queen's Theatre in the Paramount picture version, starring Bing Crosby and Miriam Hopkins, with Kitty Carlisle featured.
With a distinguished supporting cast that includes Warren Hymer, Lynne Overman, Judith Allen, George Barbier and Vince Barnett, "She Loves Me Not" brings to the screen the fanciful tale of wild escapades in a Princeton dormitory that has convulsed Broadway audiences for months.
The story depicts the escape of a night-club dancer from the scene of a Philadelphia murder, her concealment at Princeton and her subsequent entry into motion pictures with a wild fanfare of publicity, and at the same time develops a tender romance between Bing and Kitty Carlisle, the Dean's daughter.

Elliott Nugent, who was responsible for the highly successful "Three-Cornered Moon" directed "She Loves Me Not" which features several brand-new tunes by Bainger and Robin, and Gordon and Revel, including "Love In Bloom" and "I'm Hummin', I'm Whistlin', I'm singin'."

part, gives an admirable performance, while Lawrence Gray and E. H. Calvert are pleasing in minor roles.
"Here Comes the Groom" was produced by Charles R. Rogers and directed by Edward Sedgwick from an original play by Richard Flournoy.

A MINISTERIAL REVIEW

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, October 13.
Mr. MacDonald met a number of Ministers to-day and talked over with them the affairs of their Departments. Among those who called on him were the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Simon, Mr. Oliver Stanley, and Mr. Hore-Belisha. It is not altogether unnatural, remembering what happened in the spring that observers should see in this procession of Ministers, especially when it includes Mr. Hore-Belisha, a prelude to the promised autumn "reshuffle" of the Cabinet.
But doubts are being raised now whether the promise of reconstruction made in the spring was ever seriously meant. It was never officially given. It was the Government's press who gave it, and the Government is not bound by what they say. The question of a general reconstruction of the Cabinet came to be discussed, it may be remembered, because one newspaper in its unrelenting solicitude for the future of Sir John Simon suggested that the Foreign Secretary should go to the Home Office because a fine speech which he had made on political uniforms showed that he was being wasted at the Foreign Office.

The Political Autumn Manoeuvres
Sir John Simon, so far from being able to fall in with this suggestion, begged the Prime Minister (at least so it was said at the time) to see that it was never made again with whatever kindly motives or he might turn awkward. From that time nothing more was said about Sir John's going to the Home Office, though a lot was said about an autumn reconstruction of the Cabinet and the wisdom of a pretty general swapping of offices. Now is the moment, then, for the autumn political manoeuvres—if they are to happen at all.

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

HONG KONG

KING'S:
"Thirty Day Princess"
QUEEN'S:
"Here Comes The Groom"
ORIENTAL:
"Queen Christina"
CENTRAL:
"The Savage Girl"
LEE:
"The Sign Of 4"

KOWLOON
ALHAMBRA:
"By Whose Hand?"
MAJESTIC:
"Let's Talk It Over"

Coming
KING'S:
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Starring in her first satirical comedy role since her advent in Hollywood, Sylvia Sydney furnishes here and conclusive proof of her versatility and charm. In Paramount's "Thirty-Day Princess," which is now showing at the King's Theatre.
The film version of Clarence Buddington Kelland's popular magazine story tells the story of the girl who captured 100,000,000 hearts, although she almost lost the only one she really wanted.
In keeping with this new type of character Miss Sydney has doffed the severe clothes which she wore in character roles in many previous pictures, and appears more radiant than ever in some of the most beautiful, dashing and up-to-date gowns that any motion picture actress has ever worn.
In the romantic lead opposite Miss Sydney is stalwart Grant. Edward Arnold contributes an excellent performance in the role of the banker, while Vince Barnett, Lucien Littlefield, Henry Stephenson and Edgar Norton all do well in supporting roles.
Playing a dual part, Miss Sydney first appears as a royal princess of an obscure little kingdom, brought to America to help promote a loan for her indignant native land.
When the princess falls sick, and the banker's plans seem to be doomed, Nancy Lane, an actress, appears to take her place. Her first job is to vamp a zealous newspaper publisher, Cary Grant, who threatens to expose the banker as a fraud.
She does the job so well that she and Grant fall head over heels in love. And when the final denouement arrives, the princess emerges from her retirement and

the little actress returns to private life, but not until she has lost, and won back, the love of the man she had fooled.
Credit for a clever adaptation of the original story goes to Preston Sturges and Frank Partes who wrote the screen play, and to Sam Hellman and Edwin Justus Mayer who are responsible for the dialogue. Marion Gering, who directed, adds another to his series of film triumphs with "Thirty-Day Princess."

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Around the Courts

GARDENER'S DEATH

Youth Faces Serious
Charge

Before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon, Pun Cho On, a youthful gardener's foki was charged with the murder of Chik Wing, a vegetable gardener, of Tai Hom village, near Kowloon City by arsenic poisoning on August 6th. Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General conducted the case for the Crown, assisted by Inspector A. J. W. Dorling, while the accused was not legally represented.

In outlining the case Mr. Fraser said that the deceased had been a vegetable gardener in Tai Hom village while the accused was employed by the deceased as a coolie labourer. They all lived in the same hut which was divided into two partitions. Chik Wing and his wife staying in one part and the accused and another foki in the other.

"The offence," said Mr. Fraser, "is murder by administration of arsenic to the deceased on August 6. It is alleged by the Crown that the accused was in love with Chik Wing's wife and made suggestions to her to abandon her husband and go with him to Singapore. Originally, the wife was charged but this was afterwards withdrawn.

Suspicious Roused

"The circumstances are that on July 4, accused sent another man to buy some rock arsenic. This was given to accused on August 6, and, later that evening, he and Chik Wing's wife had a meal together of conge which had been cooked by the woman. From that meal, neither of them suffered any ill-effects. Chik Wing later partook of the conge and quickly felt a burning sensation, being violently sick shortly after.

"Being suspicious, he poured off some of the conge into an animal's trough which lay in the yard and, incidentally, some of the animals shortly afterwards died. On analysis of their entrails, arsenic was found.

"Chik Wing found a gritty substance in the bottom of the conge pan. He called to his wife and neighbour, the latter examined the pan and, on being told by the wife that there had been nothing but conge put in the conge, Chik Wing examined the 'sugar' container which stood on the shelf in the hut. Water was poured into the container, but nothing was found. Chik Wing then became violently ill and began to vomit so he went to bed. A doctor called found him suffering from what appeared to be the effects of some irritant poisoning. A simple remedy was given and an ambulance later took him to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

"On August 8, he died, something less than a grain of arsenic being found in the body. Chik Wing took a sample of the conge to the hospital and accused his wife and Pun Cho On of poisoning him. On later examination, the conge was found to contain a large quantity of arsenic. Later on, the body was exhumed, arsenic being found in various parts of the body. Pun Cho On was charged with murder and in his statements to the Police said that he had put something in the conge."

The case was adjourned until this afternoon, Mr. Wynne-Jones also reserving Monday for a hearing.

THE ROUTLEY CASE

A further adjournment was ordered by Mr. J. H. B. Lee at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday in the re-hearing of the case in which William Gordon Routley, a land bailiff to the P.W.D. was summoned for the alleged assault of a married woman, Lam Yuet Fong. Mr. Peter Sin represented the complainant and Mr. F. H. Loseby of Messrs. Russ & Co. was for defendant. Continuing his examination Mr. Loseby asked Se To Hing Yeung whether the statements made before Mr. Bidmead, A.S.P. and his Worship were 'identical and receiving a reply in the affirmative drew witness's attention to the fact that in his statement to Mr. Bidmead he said that "squeeze" was mentioned on the second occasion of Routley's visit to the place whereas in his statement to his Worship witness said it was on the third occasion. Questioned by his Worship witness admitted calling at the Kowloon City Police Station with medicine for complainant on the day of the assault but denied having made any statement to anybody else.

Chan Hing, Chinese Detective C228 called for the defence said that he was sent to the Kowloon Hospital on the 20th of July and saw complainant there. Asked as to how she received the wounds complainant replied that she received a kick from a European because she had greeted a match-ed on Crown land.

Next witness-called was Char To Wing, Chinese interpreter at the Water Police Station. Mr. Loseby produced the statement made before Mr. Bidmead but Mr. Sin objected to it because such statement was not admissible on the point of law. Witness agreed with Mr. Loseby that he was the interpreter when the statements of the complainant and Se To Hing Yeung were made before Mr. Bidmead on the 8th of August and a few days later. After such statements were made he read same over to them and they had agreed that such were correct. At this stage the hearing was adjourned till November 9th.

PRISONERS' RATIONS

Hon. Dr. S. W. Tso's
Queries

IS ALLOWANCE TOO
HIGH?

The question of rations for prisoners was raised at the meeting of the Finance Committee of the Legislative Council yesterday when an item asking for a supplementary vote for \$34,000 in respect of subsistence for prisoners came up for consideration. The amount placed in the Estimates of 1934 in respect of subsistence for prisoners was \$190,000 but the Memoranda explaining the items reveal that the average number of prisoners per day has increased from 1,472 in 1933 to 1,589 for the first nine months this year. A supplementary vote of \$34,000 is therefore requested to meet expenses till the end of the year.

The Hon. Dr. Tso: I should like to know if the number of prisoners for 1934 includes hawkers?

The Chairman (The Hon. Mr. D. W. Traill): It includes all prisoners that have to have rations.

Dr. Tso: It works out at well over \$100 per year per prisoner!

The Chairman: That is not very much. If you remember, the ration of prisoners in 1930 came under review quite recently when there was some trouble there and since then it has been thought of

MARCONI'S PROMISE

Television Across The
Atlantic

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright))

Rome, Oct. 31.

Television across the Atlantic ocean in two or three months time was the promise made by Marconi in a radio talk from Rome to America on Wednesday. Marconi stated that his experiments with ultra short waves of less than one metre are so advanced that he in Rome will be able to see Americans the same time they receive a practical demonstration of his new television apparatus which he expects to give within the next few months.

Transocean Kuo Min.

to increase the allowance, \$100 per head per annum is quite small. Dr. Tso: But some of them are only there for a few days?

The Chairman: They have to be fed according to regulation scale while they are there. You can't say you are only there for ten days, so you only get half ration?

Dr. Tso: No, but that would make the average for the others rather high. However, I only ask for the information.

The Chairman: That is all the information I can give at the moment.

All the other items, particulars of which were given in yesterday's "Daily Press" were duly approved.

THE ENGLISH ASSOCIATION

Activities of Local Branch

On Tuesday, November 6, this society starts its activities for a new session. His Excellency Sir William Peel, who is president, has kindly consented to preside at the opening meeting.

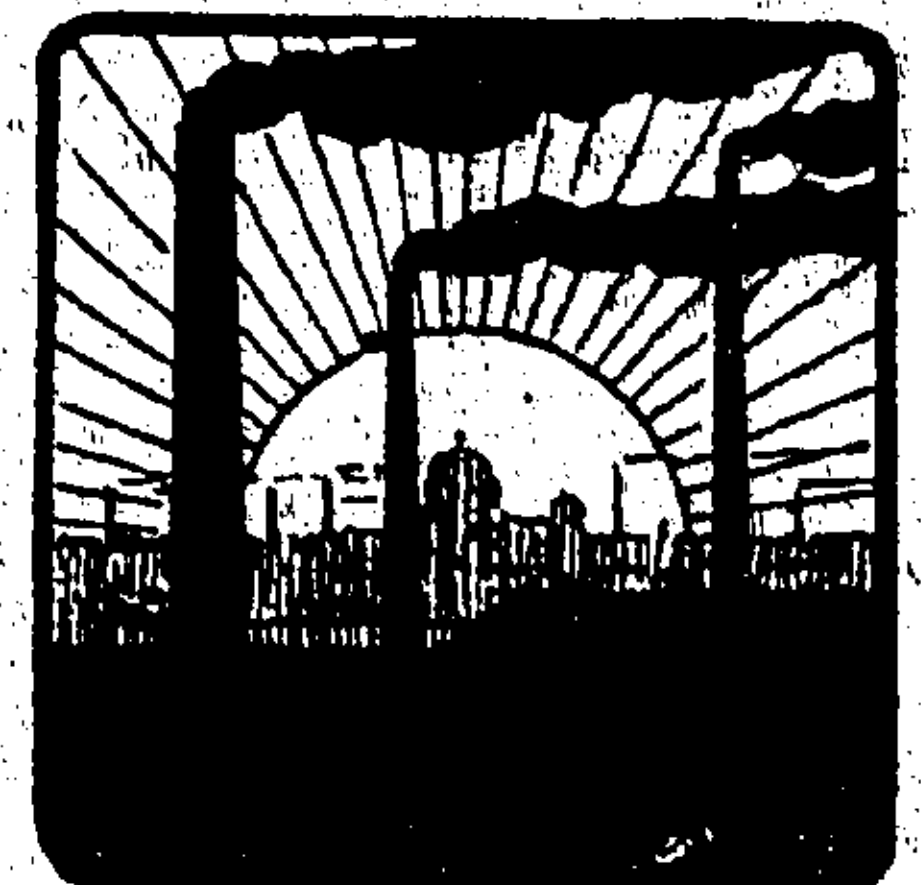
The English Association is a world-wide Society. Its object is to arrange meetings of people interested in English literature and the English language. It has members of every nationality, race and creed, who find a common interest in the study and discussion of literary topics or linguistic problems. The headquarters of the Central Body is in London, and there are local branches in every city of culture throughout the English-speaking world.

The Hong Kong branch is now beginning its sixth year. It holds regular monthly meetings, from November to April, on the first Tuesday of each month. Each meeting takes the form of a lecture and a discussion. The lecture is not meant to be an exhaustive treatment of a set theme, but an introductory review of a topic which can be informally discussed by people interested in books. That the more impressive entertainments of the modern world have not entirely distracted mankind from literary pursuits, is shown by the good attendance at these meetings.

Membership of the local branch has always, during these five years, amounted to between eighty

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and a hundred. Of these some twenty or thirty have also become members of the Central Body. Membership of the Central Body establishes a link with literary activities at home, and those who join the Central Body receive copies of pamphlets and bulletins which are published throughout the year. For this Central membership, there is an extra charge of five dollars in addition to the local subscription of three dollars. Not only does the local branch provide regular meetings, it also publishes from time to time, as funds permit, booklets containing lectures which have been delivered at these meetings.

To meet the convenience of those who like five o'clock tea and who don't want to rush away from five o'clock tea to attend a

meeting, the Helena May Institute, where meetings are held, kindly offers to cater for tea-parties in the lecture hall. Those who mean to take tea, are asked to order it from the Matron of the Institute the day before the meeting, so that a table may be arranged for them.

Tuesday's meeting will begin with the annual business of approving accounts and electing office-bearers. There will then be a lecture on "Nayve Prose" by Mr. G. Sims.

Old members who mean to continue their membership, and new members who wish to join, have no formalities to go through, other than handing in their names and subscriptions, which can be done most conveniently at the meetings.

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EUROPEAN CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

G. F. GILBERT COMMITTED
FOR TRIAL

Plea Of Guilty Entered

Geoffrey Fitzgerald Gilbert, a former employee of Messrs. Arnold & Co., Ltd., Gloucester Building, was at Central Magistrate yesterday committed for trial at the next Criminal Sessions by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen on three charges of embezzlement from his employers.

The charges against him were (a) embezzlement of \$4858.85 on October 17; (b) \$5564.88 on October 15; and (c) \$3077.92 on October 16.

Mr. M. A. Mackinlay appeared for the prosecution and Mr. J. M. D'Almada Remedios was for the defence.

At the conclusion of the case, Mr. Remedios informed his Worship that he had been instructed by defendant to plead guilty to every one of the three charges.

At the outset the Magistrate read out the charges to defendant after which he enquired of Mr. Mackinlay if they related to one another.

On Mr. Mackinlay replying in the affirmative, His Worship said he proposed to treat them as one charge, to which Mr. Remedios concurred.

Outlining the facts of the case, Mr. Mackinlay said: "The facts shortly are as follows. The defendant was employed by Messrs. Arnold & Co., Ltd., under agreement, and he was at the time and had been for some time past acting as manager of the branch shop in Bonham Strand. That branch dealt almost entirely with the sales of a commodity known as 'putchuk', which I understand is a sort of medicinal root. Defendant's duty was to supervise the sales, to collect money and to pay it in to the head office. The business was on a cash basis. The procedure adopted when any sales were made was that the purchase price was paid to the shroff, Tang Pak Ping, who in the normal way would chop the dealers' book, and issue a receipt. The shroff then handed the money over to a salesman, who entered it in a cash book, which was kept in English, and the latter in turn took the money to the defendant whose duty it was to count the money and to check it, and then initial the cash book. It was then the duty of the defendant to enter particulars of the amount in what was known as the paying-in book, and also to make out a credit slip which was a memorandum giving particulars of the amount for book-keeping purposes. Then he should take the money, paying-in book and credit slip to the head office in Gloucester Building. The money was to be paid over to the cashier, who signed the paying-in book opposite the sum he received, and the credit slip, and they were then taken to the senior member in the Accounts Department.

The Stock

With regard to stock, the position was that not more than fifty bags were ever kept in Bonham Strand and the stock was checked from time to time by a clerk named Gomes. On October 17, Gomes happened to pass by, and called in at the Bonham Strand branch, and asked the defendant if he might check the stock. He did so and discovered that there were thirty bags missing—there were 17 bags in the stock, while there should have been 47 according to his records. He did not say anything to the defendant at the time but went back to the head office and reported it to the manager, who instructed him to get in touch with the defendant. He was not able to do so, and he later heard that after he had left the branch office a further 15 bags had been sold and that defendant had received the money for these bags. Further efforts were made during the course of the evening to get in touch with the defendant, but it was not until 9 o'clock the following morning that Mr. Becker, the accountant, was able to see him. A conversation then took place, and as a result of Mr. Becker's report, a warrant was issued on the charge of \$4,800. Further enquiries were made as a result of which the two remaining charges were laid.

Mr. Mackinlay then called evidence in support of his outline.

Sit Hin Sang, a salesman, stated that he had been with the Kwong On Woo firm which had business dealings with Arnold & Co. The firm had since gone bankrupt.

On October 15 and 16 he took delivery of 25 bags of 'putchuk' from Arnold & Co., on behalf of the Kwong On Woo firm for which he paid two sums of money amounting to over \$5,000. The money was given to a man named Tang Pak Ping, a shroff employed by Arnold & Co., who gave him a receipt. The shroff then gave the money to a man named

Ah Ma who in turn passed it to the defendant.

On October 17, another 15 bags were taken delivery of, for which the sum of \$4,828.85 was paid.

The Shroff's Evidence

Tu Pak Leung, accountant of the Kwong Wan Chung firm, said they had dealings with Arnold & Co. On October 15 they took delivery of five bags of 'putchuk' for which they paid \$1,664.88. He paid this money to Ah Tang, the shroff employed at the branch office, who chopped his book and also adhered the stamp for the receipt. He saw Ah Tang put the money in a drawer. Ah Ma was present.

Tang Pak Ping, the shroff at the Bonham Strand branch of Arnold & Company, told the Court that his duties were to receive money and to hand it over to Ma Siu Cheung. On October 15, Sit Hin Sang paid in \$5,000. He handed this money to Ma, who noted the receipt of it in the book. Ma handed the money and the book over to the defendant. On the same day Tu Pak Leung also paid in \$1,600. He gave that money also to Ma. He also received \$1,300 odd from the Wing Hing Cheung firm and \$3,000 odd from Sau Cho Tong. On October 16 he received \$3,000 odd from the Kwong On Woo firm. On Oct. 17 he received another sum of \$4,800 odd from the Kwong On Woo firm. These monies he handed over to Ma, who counted them and the cash book to the defendant for signature and receipt.

Ma Siu Cheung, the salesman in the branch office in Bonham Road, said he was handed various amounts of money by Tang Pak Ping, the shroff, which he in turn passed on to the defendant, who initialled the cash book. Witness' duties were to go out and make sales and to enter into the cash book payments received by the shroff Tang.

Cheung Tack Po, employed at the head office of Arnold and Company said that he had authority to receive money on behalf of the firm. On October 15, he received the sum of \$6,000 from the defendant, and on the following day he received a further sum of \$3,434.22. Since the last payment he had received no more money from the defendant.

Mr. A. Becker, accountant in Arnold & Company, head office said he knew defendant, who had charge of the branch office in Bonham Strand. Defendant was under agreement with the Company. On October 17 witness had instructions from the manager, Mr. Paramour, to look for the defendant. He did not find him that afternoon, but he eventually found him on the morning of the following day at his house. He had a conversation with defendant, and told him he had been sent to fetch him to the office. He questioned defendant about the shortages which had been discovered the previous day. Defendant said he did not wish to go to the office, and admitted there were shortages. He did not speak to defendant as if he had authority, nor did he make any threat to defendant of proceedings. There was no intention of any proceedings being taken at that time. The answers defendant gave were all voluntary, and the conversation was more or less casual. Before leaving, he again requested defendant to go back with him to the office, but defendant declined. Defendant consented to his repeating what he had told him at the office. Defendant said he would prefer to take the consequences of what he had done rather than return to the office and go through an examination.

CORRESPONDENCE

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Our Markets

[To the Editor of the "Daily Press"]

Sir,—In your October 30th, issue of the "Hong Kong Daily Press," there was an article that was more than passing interest to me. I refer to the one describing the Public Markets. Being something of a connoisseur of food products, I am always more-or-less interested in seeing what the better class of provision shops are like, and also the public markets that handle food products, and usually make it a point to visit such places soon after my arrival in a city.

Hong Kong is one of the beauty spots of the world, and as a whole I was and am very favourably impressed with the city. But I was shocked when some two weeks ago I visited the Queen's Road market, the condition was in every respect as bad as the article in your paper stated it to be. After going through the upper part of the market, I descended the stairs and entered the ground floor from the Des Voeux Road end, and if I was appalled at the unsanitary condition of the upper floor I had more reason to be so in trying to make my way through the muck where fish, fowl, and vegetables are sold for human consumption. But holding up my trouser legs to keep them out of the filth, I made my way in about half way, but that was as far as I cared to go, turning about I hurried out where I could get a breath of fresh air, and that is the kind of a place where residents of Hong Kong must buy their vegetables, meat, fowls, fish, etc.

Yours, etc.,

VISITOR.

Hong Kong, November 1, 1934.

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MARSEILLES MURDER SUSPECTS

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Paris, Oct. 31.
The extradition of Pavellitch and Kraternik, the Yugoslav revolutionaries suspected of having organised the Marseilles murders and who were arrested in Turin some days ago, has now been officially requested by France through her Charge d'Affaires in Rome.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

Defendant admitted having received money in respect of 15 bags of 'putchuk', and also said that on the previous day he had gone to Shum Chun where he had lost heavily.

"I have Nothing To Say"
Cross-examined by Mr. Remedios, witness admitted that defendant had told him he would not return to office but would remain in his house, and would render any assistance the firm desired.

Inspector J. Murphy deposed to having arrested defendant by virtue of a warrant on October 18. When charged at the Central Police Station with the embezzlement of the amount mentioned in the warrant defendant replied "I have nothing to say."

At the conclusion of the case, Mr. Remedios informed his Worship that he had been instructed by the defendant to plead guilty to every one of the three charges, and to intimate that he desired to have his right resorted on what he had to say on his behalf in the Supreme Court.

Defendant was then committed for trial.

The Searchlight Tattoo

WONDERFUL PAGEANTRY AT
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Unqualified Success On Opening Night

It is 8.15 on the opening night of the great searchlight tattoo. All around sit the spectators. The stands are swept by waves of intermittent conversation which seems unnaturally loud in the darkness. Opposite, the outlines of the castle can be seen. Then, with an electrifying suddenness, a salvo of guns breaks the silence and the searchlights sweep across the green grass of the arena. On the castle walls, trumpeters, dressed in the colourful costume of centuries ago, stand to usher in the greatest spectacle that Hong Kong has ever seen. Through the night air sounds an imperious fanfare of trumpets. The Tattoo has begun.

The Castle gates swing open. Through them, a gleaming mass of white uniforms and silver instruments, emerge the massed bands. In perfect time, in perfect dressing, they march to and fro. Their music is almost the equal of the massed bands at Aldershot. In an almost fantastically short time they break into a march in quick time and retire from the arena through the Castle gateway.

Before they have completely disappeared, the lights are softened to a dull red. Three campfires are seen burning in the arena. On the right bearded Sikhs from the Punjab perform their native songs and dances. On the left the Mussulmans entertain us with the "Luddi," a sort of harvest festival dance, also from the Punjab. In the centre is what appears to be a group of peaceful villagers sitting round their fire. All of a sudden from the direction of the Castle come two wild bearded figures. With fearsome shouts they urge the villagers on to a war-like frenzy. It is the Kuttak dance of the fierce Pathans from the Hindukush, "where nothing but the bullet sings." After the war-like movements of the dance they rush madly off to the presumable conquest of their local enemies.

Next comes one of the most effective items on the programme in which the physical training squad perform evolutions and exercises to music. As they finish their display in the left-hand corner of the arena, a farm house is lit up. It is supposed to represent Rookes Drift Farm which the British troops are putting into a state of defence. In the centre of the arena an officer and a small body of men are seen to be resting on their march. Suddenly the lights sweep to the other end of the arena. Row upon row of Zulus equipped for war advance towards the farm. They halt in the centre and under the direction of their leaders give the deep-throated Zulu battle cry.

Meanwhile the small party rush hastily back to the farm and the defenders are desperately preparing for the onslaught of the Zulus. After a fierce fight in which three successive waves of Zulu warriors are beaten off, the relieving party appears and the day is won.

Next on the programme is the torchlight parade of the 1/8 Punjab Regiment. The arena is dark. In perfect formation, twining in and out each other, coloured lights weave themselves into a mass of moving jewellery before us.

As they disappear through the Castle gates, we are treated to a new type of display, the Chinese Gambolling Lion. This is probably the most popular item to the Chinese spectators. The "Lions" go through the most fantastic and amusing evolutions before finally quitting the stadium. The band now takes the centre of the stage and gives a fine rendering of the 1812 overture during which a magnificent set-piece is illuminated on Caroline Hill, representing the burning of Moscow before the advance of Napoleon's army.

The Loch Ness Monster
As the overture ends there is great noise and confusion. A terrified group of screaming people rushes into the arena. Hard on their heels glides what must be surely the strangest beast that has ever come to our shores. THE LOCH NESS MONSTER! The strenuous resistance of the crowd is of no avail but fortunately being a law-abiding creature, he is eventually arrested by a policeman and led ignominiously away. He will probably be up before the magistrate in the morning for disturbing the peace.

SAMI SAMI

The lights are then turned on to a body of the Duke of Wellington's soldiers, sleeping in their bivouacs. The audience is treated to a fantastic representation of the nightmare of Private Samuel Small, soldier in the Duke of Wellington's army. What Samuel Small has his "mucker" knocked out of his head, an awkward conference ensues as to who shall pick up the offending mucker. The problem is eventually solved by

the tact and foresight of the Duke himself who rides up on a lovely white horse. After this the battle commences in grim earnest. The Duke's men form a square and are hotly assailed by the Wooden Soldiers until all but Samuel himself are killed. He conceives the subtle trick of firing down the line of Wooden Soldiers and kills them all with his last two bullets.

BEATING TATTOO

The Massed Bands and Drums then beat a most impressive tattoo, marching and counter-marching, facing the Governor's Box. The Last Post is then sounded, that thrilling call which never fails to move even the least imaginative of us. As the bands move off after their performance, another Chinese item is produced in the form of a Chinese Fencing display in the traditional manner.

ANCIENT AND MODERN

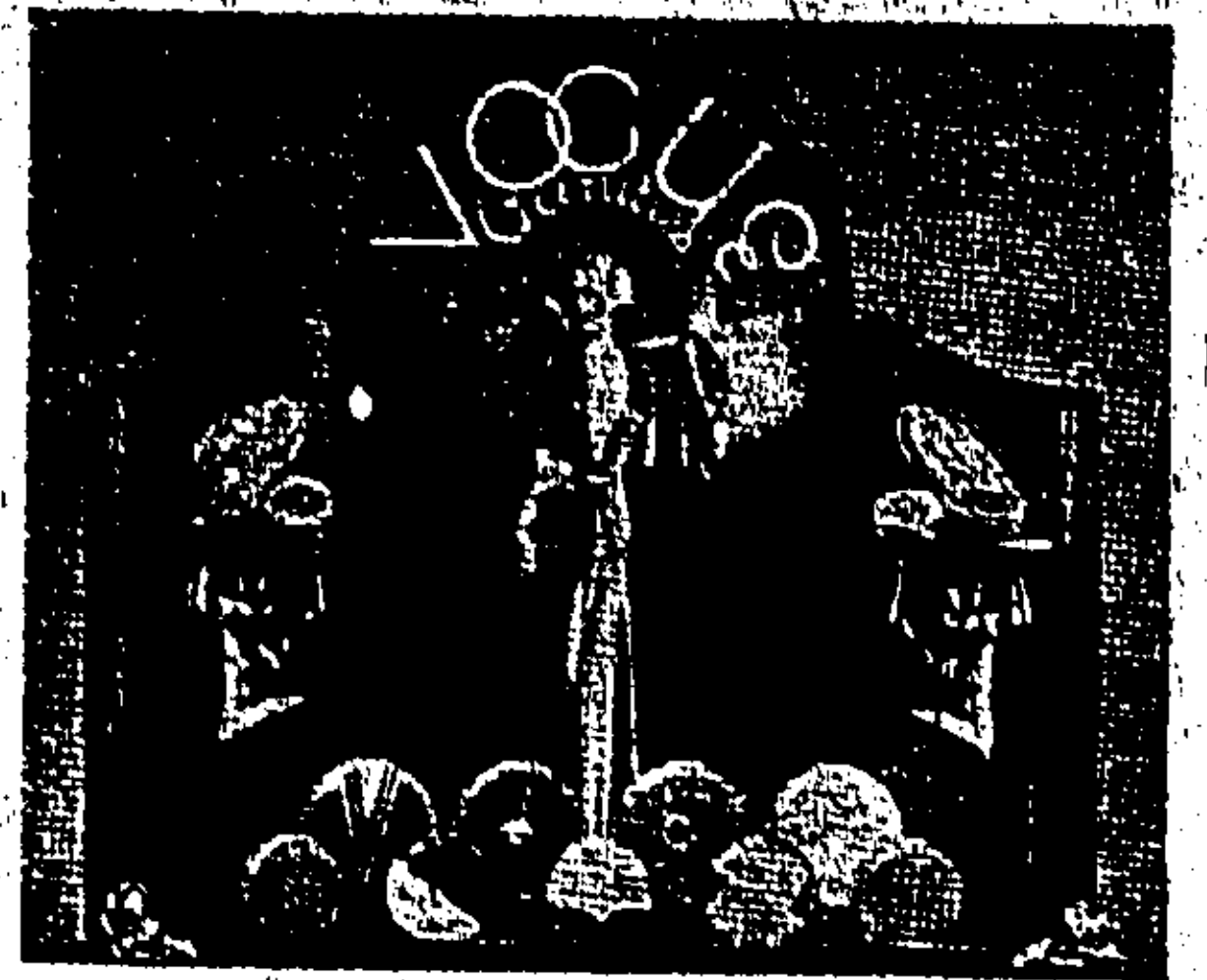
Next comes what is perhaps the most ambitious item in the tattoo. It is the comparison of the ancient and modern methods of fighting. At the beginning of this turn a Company of soldiers of the 1857 period march into the arena. They are supported by a section of artillery of the time. They form a hollow square with the front rank kneeling, and the two cannons at the corners of the square, facing the castle. With perfect, and almost leisurely drill they fire volleys of musketry and cannon-ball. Very different is the elan and business-like display of the troops of modern time. A modern Company in steel helmets advance across the arena in the open formation that modern fire power has rendered necessary. They are supported by the mounted Machine Gun Troop of the Volunteers and the Motor Cycle Machine Gun Corps. On the flanks the armoured cars of the Volunteers drive in, and the 1st Mountain Battery, H.K.S.B.A. come to action to support the attack.

The lights then switch to the Castle gateway. Through them file the massed bands followed successively by all the troops who have taken part. With perfect organisation each unit marches to its appointed place, setting a scene of colour and pageant that caught one's breath.

The band plays "Land of Hope and Glory" in which the audience joins. After that the audience and performers again united in singing that grand hymn, "Abide With Me." There is a roll of drums and from every corner of the arena men and women raise their voices in the chorus of "God Save The King." They sang it as if they meant it. The Tattoo is over.

We must congratulate the Army, the organisers, the performers, and those responsible for the administrative direction. They have had a great deal of work to do. They have come in for a lot of criticism. Let us remember that this Tattoo cannot be interpreted as an expression of jingoism. It is a reminder of the greatness of our Empire, and perhaps a warning to those who think that it is no longer great enough to sustain its high purpose. If we have a sword, let it be a sharp one.

THE OFFICIAL PARTY
His Excellency the General Officer Commanding, Major General O. C. Barrett opened the Tattoo, and was saluted by the Military General Salute. Among those present in the official party were Mrs. O. C. Barrett, Sir Thomas and Lady Southern, the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police, Sir William Shenton and Miss Yvonne Shenton, Col. and Mrs. F. P. Newberry, Lt.-Col. Morris, R.E., Lt.-Col. Biddiscombe and party, and numerous other prominent naval and military officers.



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It would interest the public to know that the ticket holders will be entitled to draw their own prizes, among which are hand-made garments, embroidered and painted cushions, scarves, knitted apparel and a large variety of useful and pretty articles.

Our "Special Sale Department" will offer a great attraction to those wishing to buy dainty and hand-made articles for their personal use and for their homes.

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THE TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 3rd NOVEMBER, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.39 p.m.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hong Kong, 28th October, 1934.

LOCAL MAPS

Peak District,
Kowloon,
Victoria,
New Territories.

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CABLE NEWS FROM THE NORTH

VISITORS FROM MONGOLIA

Gen. Chiang Sends Representative

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Peking, Nov. 1.

General Chiang Kai Shek left hospital yesterday afternoon. He is holding a reception to diplomats to-night.

He has announced his inability to accept the invitation of the Mongol Princes to visit Mongolia and has despatched Mr. Hsiao Chen Ying as his personal representative. Mr. Hsiao received the Mongol leaders here yesterday and discussed Mongol affairs after calling on them.

General Sung Che Yuan, Chairman, left for Kalgan yesterday noon by the Peking-Suiyuan Railway to meet Prince Teh, the Vice-President of the Siling League and the Secretary General of Mongolian Local Autonomy and Political Affairs, and after that he goes to Pailingmiao to confer with Prince Yun, the President of the Ulanab League, the Chairman of Council and other Mongolian leaders. He is expected to be away about ten days.—China United Press.

SINO-AMERICAN TRADE

Association Under Private Auspices

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Nanking, Oct. 1.

The Ministry of Industry has approved a plan to organize a Sino-American trade association under private auspices to push trade and commercial interests between the two countries. Mr. Li Kuo Chin has been appointed to represent the Chinese side and the head office is to be established in New York. A detailed plan of organization is being studied by officials of the Ministry.—China United Press.

SHANGHAI-CANTON AIR SERVICE

Resumption After Six Months

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Kwangtung, one of the two Douglas Dolphins of the China National Aviation Company recently purchased in the U.S.A., is taking off at 6.30 a.m. to-morrow for Canton, to resume the service interrupted six months ago following the crash at Hangchow Bay. The plane is expected to stop over at Yoochow at 10 o'clock and is due in Canton at 3 p.m.

Mail only will be carried in November and passengers in December.

The air mail and passenger service of the Eurasia Company will be formally operated to-day between Lanchow and Pautouchen according to a Kwethwa message.—China United Press.

BANK SITE MISHAP

Men Thrown From Platform

The new Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank building site was the scene of some excitement at 5.53 p.m. yesterday when a platform on which six men were engaged in removing a casing at a height of about 27 feet suddenly gave way.

Five of the men fell to the ground and the sixth man managed to cling on to a pole, but after hanging there for a short time released his hold and fell on top of one of the men who had come to the assistance of the others.

One of the men had his skull fractured, while another received slight abrasions. All of them suffered from shock and were taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

MOVEMENTS OF MINISTERS

Sir Alexander's Southern Trip

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Nanking, Nov. 1.

Sir Alexander Cadogan, British Minister, called on Dr. H. H. Kung and was entertained to dinner by Mr. Wang Ching Wei yesterday. He will be leaving for the south on inspection on November 12.

Dr. Oscar Trautmann, German Minister, is proceeding to Peking by train to-night.

Mr. Liu Wen Tao told newspaper men that owing to the necessity of winding up personal affairs he is not proceeding to Rome until January. Signor Lojaco Vincenzo, Italian Ambassador, is still in Turkey and is expected in China in December.—China United Press.

HOSPITAL AND LEPER CLINIC

Mr. Hu Wen Fu Donates \$200,000

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Shanghai, Nov. 1.

Mr. Hu Wen Fu, a wealthy medicine magnate and resident of Singapore, has donated \$200,000 for the construction of a hospital and leper clinic on Hainan Island. At present he is touring the island with Mr. Hu Lien Teh, head of the National Quarantine Service in Shanghai.—China United Press.

RIVER DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

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Nanking, Nov. 1.

The first meeting of the newly formed National River Development Commission under the chairmanship of Dr. H. H. Kung has decided to earmark \$500,000 a month at the disposal of the Commission as a development fund for centralisation control. River Bureaux in various parts of the country are also planned.

Dr. Kung's trip to the north by plane to-day was postponed pending his return to Shanghai.—China United Press.

CURRENCY CONTROL IN MANCHURIA

Japanese Effort

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Peking, Nov. 1.

So-called currency co-operative societies have been established by Japanese interests in the leading cities of Manchuria. The directors and heads are Japanese and they are making every effort to control currency in Manchuria.—China United Press.

NEW SHIPS FOR CHINA

S.S. Haiyuen In Shanghai

Shanghai, Oct. 31.
The first of the four steamers built in England for the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company, fleet, through the British Boxer Indemnity Fund, has arrived here. She is the Haiyuen.

She took 47 days for her passage out from Newcastle, and arrived three days ahead of her schedule. Two other vessels of the same type and tonnage are at present on their way to Shanghai from Britain, and a fourth will leave England to-day, according to latest information by the owners.—Reuter.

S.S. HAIPING SUNK

Collision With A.P.C. Vessel

Shanghai, Nov. 1.
The S.S. Haiying was sunk at Liaocho near Yingkow on Wednesday, following a collision with a steamer of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, according to a message received by the owners of the Chinese vessel.

Although the ship and cargo were valued at \$200,000, it may mean a total loss.

All the people aboard, including 73 members of the crew, were saved.

The collision was so violent that the Haiying sank within ten minutes.—Reuter.

C.E. RAILWAY TRANSFER

Complete Agreement In Sight

Moscow, Oct. 31.

It is expected here that a complete agreement for the transfer of the Chinese Eastern Railway from Russia to Japanese and Manchukuo control will be reached shortly.

While the purchase price has been fixed at 140,000,000 yen, negotiations continue as regards other conditions of sale, the most important of which relate to the circumstances of the transfer of the railway to the purchasers and guarantees for payment of the purchase price. It has been agreed that in the event of the fall of the yen below a certain level, currency payments will be reckoned according to the gold rate.

In the event of the dismissal of Soviet employees by the new administration, three months' notice must be given and also the right to remain in Manchukuo for two months longer to settle personal affairs.—Reuter.

MINSEITO PRESIDENT RESIGNS

Political Circles Agitated

Tokyo, Nov. 1.

Mr. Wakatsuki, President of the Minseito party, has tendered his resignation. This action has caused a flurry in political circles, especially since it came on the eve of an organized campaign for a coalition of the Seiyukai and Minseito parties.

It is pointed out that Mr. Wakatsuki accepted the presidency of the Minseito party on the condition that his tenure would be temporary.—Reuter.

JAPAN'S REFORMS IN MANCHUKUO

Dairen, Nov. 1.

The reorganization troubles have successfully terminated by the withdrawal of the resignations by three Bureau directors and the police, all pledging to General Hsiangkai their co-operation with the new administrative system.

Mr. Dohihara is returning to Mukden, his mission having ended.—Reuter.

STRAIGHT FROM THE SHOULDER

(By "No Quarter")

TATTOO NUMBER

These are hard times for us journalists. What with the thunder of the guns, our puny piping can scarcely be heard. The rich and fantastic dresses of the Tattoo performers quite outclass the shabby figures of our imagination. We starve in a garret. Well, no matter. My tiny hand is frozen but still I ply the pen. I will conform to the general tide of opinion and make this a Grand Tattoo number. Stop fidgeting in the corner Mrs. Fendleberry.

CELLULOSE UNPLACED

I am in possession of the most fantastic information about Cellulose, mystery-horse, which is the property of DR. AXEL AUFANG. Spurred on by the rapid progress which this mettlesome nag seems to be making, his trainer, Mr. Shifty Loynes, decided to enter him in a race at Macao. Dr. Aufang was enthusiastic about it; the final arrangements were concluded, and it was decided that the Doctor himself should have the privilege of transporting the horse to the Racecourse at Macao.

The Professor decided to carry out this move by balloon, a vehicle of which he is extremely fond. In due course, Cellulose was embarked in the basket of the balloon, which was driven by a Schnapps double action spiro-turbine fuelled by fulminated liquid glue.

Alas! Dr. Aufang fell asleep. He had also miscalculated the force of the wind. When he awoke he descended rapidly on to what he imagined was the course. He mounted hurriedly and galloped furiously around.

Unfortunately the Doctor had landed in Sookumpoo, where a rehearsal of the Tattoo was in progress. On seeing the Lochness monster, Cellulose got completely out of hand. He stamped a number of miles, and ate one of the Indian fakir's beards and a large portion of the castle before he was restored to order and quietness.

The Doctor was very nettled. "It was all a stupid mistake," he said.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

There was a clean bill of health in the Colony on Tuesday.

A dance for Service Men will be held at the European Y.M.C.A. on Monday, November 5, from 9 to 12 p.m.

One case of Diphtheria and two cases of Enteric Fever were notified to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours ended October 31.

At the China Auction Rooms yesterday, Nos. 4 and 5 Tik Lung Lane, Wanchai, was sold by public auction, the successful bidder being Mr. Chan Yu Fan of No. 169, Wing Lok Street. The property only fetched \$4,100.

Messrs. Komor and Komor are again holding their Autumn Exhibition of water colours by Japan's foremost artists. The Exhibition will be open daily from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. for ten days, and all are welcome.

Among the passengers who arrived by the S.S. Carthage yesterday were Mr. J. Bottomley, Mr. and Mrs. G. Divett, Major and Mrs. F. Hogg, Mrs. E. W. Hamilton, Dr. and Mrs. G. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. V. Sorby, Mrs. C. Strahan and Miss Strahan and Mr. H. Priestly.

Under the auspices of the Education Society of the Hong Kong University, Father G. Byrne, M.A., S.J., will give a lecture on "Am I a Character or Have I one?—The Ego's Back Parlor" at 8.30 p.m. in the Union Assembly Room of the University. The lecture will be open to the public.

The following forthcoming weddings have been announced.
Mr. Henry James Perryman (widower), Inspector of Store-houses, Victualling Dept., Admiralty, to Mrs. May Jeanette Branson, (widow) of No. 24, Castleman Road, Peckham, S.E.15, London.
Lieutenant Samuel Edward Colyear Walker of the 1st Bn. 6th Punjab Regiment, to Miss Marjorie Elizabeth Wilkinson of No. 20, Knitford Hotel, Kowloon.

PINK RHYMES FOR PALE PEOPLE

No. 3:
Acharnian, my friend, I hear
You do not like our Grand Tattoo.
The Grand Tattoo, in turn, I fear
Does not think very much of you.
THINGS YOU WOULD NEVER
KNOW ABOUT THE TATTOO
UNLESS I TOLD YOU

That a hip bath of specially prepared Blacking is required for the "Zulus" at each performance. From motives of economy, much of this is recovered from washhouses in the Tattoo Area, and collected by Quartermasters as "part worn material" for future Tattoos.

That since rehearsals started for the P. T. display, ninety nine men of the squad have signed the pledge. (The hundredth is the one who stands comparatively still.)

That the third mule from the left invariably joins in the chorus of "Abide With Me."

That the steering design of the Loch Ness monster involves Very Secret Patterns from the War Office, intended for amphibious armoured hay wagons.

That the epileptic "Mad Mullah" in the Indian dance series is a member of the Hong Kong Club.
That you shouldn't believe everything you read.

A striking picture of the Tattoo taken half an hour after the conclusion of the first performance.

TAIL PIECE TO A MASSIVE MATRON WHO SAT IN FRONT OF ME AT THE TATTOO

The Gossip sang your praise at Sookumpoo.
But may I state, (or is it infra dig),
I found you like an elephant's back view:
Uninteresting, opaque, and very big.

NEWS SUMMARY

G. F. Gilbert, an employee of Messrs. Arnold & Co. Ltd. was at Central Magistracy yesterday committed for trial on three charges of embezzlement to the extent of \$14,000 from his employers. He pleaded guilty to the charges. Page 7.

Allegations that he had been concerned in the poisoning of a gardener were brought against a young Chinese, who was charged with murder before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones yesterday. Page 6.

Four Derby ponies were auctioned yesterday at the paddock at Happy Valley. Very low prices were paid. Page 10.

An interesting lecture on Helen Keller, the deaf and blind author, was delivered by Professor W. Brown at the University on Wednesday. A brief report of it appears on Page 11.

The question of prisoner's rations came up for discussion at yesterday's meeting of the Finance Committee. Page 4.

The dirty state of the Central Market again forms the subject of a letter from a reader who complains that more attention should be paid to this pressing question by the authorities concerned. Page 7.

The Searchlight Tattoo which opened last night was a very spectacular affair and drew large crowds to Sookumpoo. It was opened by His Excellency the General Officer Commanding and will be continued to-night and to-morrow night. Page 7.

The Young Indians Football team have withdrawn from the Second Division of the Football League. A letter from the Club to the Football Association is reprinted on Page 10.

BRITISH COMMERCIAL AIR TRANSPORT

HOPES OF A SERVICE TO CHINA

Air Minister Report On Eastern Tour

London, Oct. 31. Sir Philip Sassoon, in an interview on his return from Singapore, one of the longest air tours the Minister has ever undertaken, declared that he was particularly interested in the development of aerodrome landing grounds on the India-Singapore section of the route.

The Air Ministry, he said, had been working many months on plans for the development of commercial air transport, and had reached the conclusion that flying times must be drastically curtailed.

He had often landed at night time and was of the opinion that night flying would be a practical proposition in the near future.

Conversations with officials at Singapore had led him to believe that the difficulties of the extension of Imperial Airways to China are being overcome. He is hopeful of a service to China eventually.

JOINT PLANS

London, October 31. A scheme for the further development of British commercial air transport upon plans for which the Air Ministry in conjunction with the Post Office and the Imperial Airways have been actively engaged for several months past will, it is hoped, be revealed within the next month or two. This announcement was made today in an interview by Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secretary for Air, who has just returned from a 19,000 miles flight over fourteen countries and during which he travelled as far east as Singapore and visited the Royal Air Force stations in Egypt, the North-West Frontier and India.

Sir Philip Sassoon's journey was made in seven different types of aircraft, civil and military, and he is convinced that civil air transport must, in the not far distant future increasingly supplant the older forms of transport. During his long tour there were no forced landings and all flights were made strictly to schedule. He was particularly interested in the development in progress in aerodromes and landing grounds on the India-Singapore section of the route which, he is satisfied, is proceeding on the right lines.

The chief difficulty over this part of the route is the dampness

of aerodromes during the monsoon period but this matter is receiving the attention of aerodrome experts. Fortunately prevailing winds do not vary substantially in direction and it is therefore possible to overcome the difficulty by putting down landing strips on the aerodromes. This method has already been adopted at Bangkok with marked success.

SINGAPORE AERODROME

Sir Philip said that the civil aerodrome at Singapore was a very fine one and the buildings had been extremely well designed and laid out. The people of Malaya were enthusiastic over flying and realised their responsibilities, and the fact that the peninsula must be a link of ever increasing importance in Empire air mail route. He expressed satisfaction that the speed race in the great Australia contest was won by a British machine and a British engine and paid tribute to the excellent performance of the Douglas machine flown by very able Dutch pilots, but he did not think they would claim that the time has yet arrived when it is possible to contemplate a speed of 200 miles per hour on a regular schedule, down in all weathers and at all times of the year.

The lessons of the race were apparent but he did not wish it to be thought that any special action on the part of the Air Ministry was attendant on the result of such event.

Referring to the work on the plans for the ordered development which had been proceeding at the Air Ministry in conjunction with the Post Office and the Imperial Airways for many months past, he said they have reached the conclusion that the present flying times between London and other Empire capitals must be progressively and drastically curtailed and that measures must be taken for the further development of air mail traffic in particular. Obviously a great deal of preparatory work must be done and the closest and fullest consultation with the Dominions and Colonies was a necessary preliminary to the final formulation of a definite scheme.

They had no intention of making their plans public prematurely.

THE RETURN FLIGHT

Jones Held Up By Bad Weather

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London, Nov. 1.

Owing to bad weather over the Adriatic Sea, Jones and Waller were unable to complete their Melbourne to London flight on Wednesday as projected but passed the night at Athens. Through this delay, their attempt to lower the record held by Scott and Black has failed.

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Athens, Nov. 1.
Cathcart Jones was forced to return to Tatoi aerodrome owing to bad weather in Italy.

Reuter.
HANSEN ARRIVES
Melbourne, Nov. 1.
Lieut. M. Hansen, the Danish competitor in the England-Melbourne air race, arrived here at 11.33 last night.

CHURCH FREEDOM IN GERMANY

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press").
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Berlin, Nov. 1.

Church freedom has been established in Germany and there is excellent reason to believe that the long sought unity within the Evangelical Church will be attained in the near future. At his two hours' talk with Bishops Meiser, Wurms, and Marahrens where these spokesmen of confessional community voiced their grievances, the leader told the Bishops he would leave the problems of the Church to the Church itself. The Führer's decision is considered of historical importance. For the first time in 400 years the Evangelical Church was free of the State in religious matters.

The resignation of Dr. Jeager whose high-handed actions caused the strongest resentment not only in the Church opposition but also in moderate national socialist circles has brought unity within the Evangelical Church.

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THE FIGHTING PARSON OF DAHLEM

Berlin, Oct. 31.
Wild cheering of 4,000 Protestants gathered in the Marble Hall Zoo, Berlin's biggest ballroom, greeted the announcement of Dr. Niemöller, "the Fighting Parson" of Dahlem, and one of the leaders in the fight against Reichsbishop Mueller, that the opposition South German Bishops, Dr. Meiser and Dr. Wurms, would be restored to their offices to-morrow.

Reuter.

MARXISTS ARRESTED IN VIENNA

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Vienna, Nov. 1.

The police have arrested 300 Marxists suspected of having drafted and broadcasted a manifesto signed by "Socialist revolutionary committee" which contains orders to workers on the line of action to be followed on November 12 which is a State holiday.

Transocean Kuo Min.

WINNIPEG GRAIN PRICES PEGGED

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.
It is announced at Government request that the wheat prices in the Winnipeg grain exchange will be pegged from to-morrow. December futures will be fixed at 75 cents per bushel, and May futures at 80.

Reuter.

RAJAH RENOUNCES HIS SUCCESSION RIGHTS

Kuala Lumpur, Nov. 1.
The Rajah Muda of Selangor, eldest son of the Sultan, informed Reuter yesterday that he has renounced his rights of succession.

LARGER NAVY FOR THE UNITED STATES

To Maintain Equality In The Orient

New York, Nov. 1.
A strong demand for a larger United States Navy and merchant fleet was made by Rear-Admiral Yates Sterling, Commander of the Navy Yard.

He said: "We must be capable of exerting our sea power in the Orient in order to maintain equality in the markets there. We can do this only with an adequate fleet, fully manned and securely based in an area of possible conflict, and a large and modern merchant fleet capable of carrying the greater part of our foreign trade and acting as auxiliaries to the war fleet in emergencies."

Reuter.

NAVY PERSONNEL

Washington, Nov. 1.
The Navy Secretary has recommended to President Roosevelt and the Budget Bureau an increase in the enlisted personnel in the Navy for the fiscal year 1936, thereby giving it a maximum

of 83,000 at June 30, 1936. At present it is only 85 per cent, manned with maximum of 82,500.

Reuter.

JAPAN-U.S. DEADLOCK

London, Nov. 1.
Rough water is being encountered at the naval talks in consequence of the Japanese demand for parity. The Japanese theory of global tonnage and their ideas of offensive and defensive weapons were discussed and the Americans were unable to agree with the Japanese ideas. The Japanese declare they have no intention of building warships right up to the common upper limits.

The Americans disagree with the Japanese contention that they are not on an equal footing with Britain and the United States. The Americans hold that naval strength depends on the country's needs and problems.

Reuter.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, Nov. 1.
London Silver prices to-day were up 1/8 for "Spot" and 3/16 forward, as follows:

	Oct. 31	Nov. 1
Spot	23-3/8	23-1/2
Forward	23-7/16	23-5/8

London on New York cross rate at 2 p.m. to-day was 4.97-13/16 compared with 4.97-3/4 at closing yesterday.

INCIDENT IN PARIS

Princess Marina Accosted

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Paris, Nov. 1.

The police are continuing their efforts in order to ascertain the motives of the attempted approach by three persons to Princess Marina of Greece, the fiancée of the Duke of Kent, who is now staying here for the purpose of shopping in connection with her forthcoming wedding.

The three suspects who on Tuesday evening, just when the Princess had left her hotel, rushed to her car, maintain that they merely wanted to put a personal request to her. They had no arms in their possession.

The names of the suspects are a certain Adjeian, his fifty-year old

ARMS EMBARGO AGREEMENT

No Supplies To Gran Chaco

London, Oct. 31.
In answer to a question in the House of Commons, the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, said an international agreement to prevent the supply of arms to Bolivia and Paraguay, invited and pressed by His Majesty's Government, had at last been put into operation.

All arms-manufacturing countries approached by the League Committee, who had previously announced the acceptance in principle of the proposed embargo, now stated that they took the necessary measures before the end of September, without reservations as regards execution of current contracts.

British Wireless.

BELGRADE MINISTER RESIGNS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)).

Belgrade, Oct. 31.
The Minister of Justice, Bozidar Maximovitch has handed in his resignation, according to an official announcement which, however, did not give the reasons of the Minister's decision.

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RESEARCH IN POLAR REGIONS

Plans For Employment New Zeppelin

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Leipzig, Nov. 1.

The plans for employing the new Zeppelin, now being built in Friedrichshafen, for assisting in the exploration of enormous unknown polar regions between the North Pole and Alaska and the Wrangel Islands were outlined by the well-known meteorologist, Professor Weickmann, who participated in the polar flight made by the airship Graf Zeppelin three years ago. In a speech on Wednesday at the celebration of the 525th anniversary of Leipzig University.

Weickmann proposed that the airship bring a group of three or four scientists to the Polar regions who will then winter there for the purpose of making varied observations to be fetched back by the airship when the work is completed.

The plan would present no difficulty, said the speaker, when the proposed airship service between Germany and the United States is established and a proper airship, port erected in America.

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FEASIBLE PLAN

Berlin, Nov. 1.
A plan for a new polar expedition with the new Zeppelin which is now completing is announced by Professor Weickmann, famous meteorologist.

The Zeppelin will take a group of scientists to a district which will be thoroughly explored between the North Pole, Alaska and Wrangel Island. It is proposed that the explorers will remain there throughout the winter and after completion of the work they will be picked up again by the Zeppelin.

Dr. Duerr, chief designer at the Zeppelin Works, said that the new Zeppelin will have a larger radius of action and there will be no practical difficulty in carrying out the plan.

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SCHUSCHNIGG'S SPEECH

New Constitution In Austria

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Vienna, Nov. 1.

An analysis of the new Austrian Corporative Constitution which comes into force to-day (Thursday), was given by Chancellor Schuschnigg in a broadcast speech on Wednesday evening, in the course of which he announced the names of the members of the various "Consultative chambers" which will take over, to some extent, the functions of the defunct parliament.

The new State Court which, according to the Constitution, consists of fifty "distinguished independent men" appointed by the President of the Republic for the term of ten years will be presided over by the general manager of the Austrian Railways, Novack.

The Federal Council of Culture—or "Bundeskulturamt"—will be composed also of forty members representing seven corporations, namely agriculture and forestry, industry and mining, trades, com-

STORMTROOP LEADERS ENTERTAINED

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Berlin, Nov. 1.

For the first time since the clean up of June 30th, Adolf Hitler received and entertained a bevy of higher Stormtroop leaders, to whom he outlined his ideas on the new tasks of the S.A. To-day there will be another roll call of the S.A. group leaders. The new Chief of Staff Lutze in an address of welcome to the leaders declared that the S.A. knows one leader only in whose spirit it would labour.

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merce and transport, finance and credit, free professions, and public service.

The fourth consultative chamber, the Council of Provinces, will be composed of two representatives from each of the eight provinces and two from the city of Vienna who will be appointed by provincial diets.

The constitution also provides a Federal Diet consisting of fifty nine deputies chosen from four consultative chambers while the Government is empowered to hold a popular referendum on bills elected by the Federal Diet.

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ESPIONAGE CASE

Sentences Passed By Metz Court

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Saarbrücken, Nov. 1.

Great consternation has been caused here by the sentences passed by the Metz Court of Appeal in the affair known as the Roehling espionage case on the chief of the Roehling factory police, Rathke and his alleged accomplices, Frischmann, Baltes, Litzemburger and Rupp who are all sentenced to two and a half years' imprisonment with the exception of Rupp who got five. Rupp and Litzemburger were sentenced in absence. In addition to the sentences, fines up to one thousand francs were inflicted and expulsion from the country for periods of ten to twenty years was pronounced. It is held that the prosecution did not produce any evidence whatsoever in support of the charges made.

Public indignation has increased by the recollection of how Rathke was enticed to French soil by a fictitious telegram despatched by the French police who immediately arrested him and his companion on arrival at the frontier town in Lorraine.

The sentence, moreover, is considered a breach of the Franco-German agreement of last June in Geneva whereby both Governments undertook to refrain from instituting criminal proceedings for political activities against Saarlanders who are entitled to vote in the forthcoming plebiscite.

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RUBBER QUOTA DEADLOCK

Possibility Of A Compromise

London, Oct. 31.

The Amsterdam correspondent of the "Financial Times" states that the failure of the International Rubber Committee to reach an agreement on the 1935 quota has created great disappointment in Amsterdam.

It is learned in Amsterdam that the conflict is probably due to the fact that the British desire a 40 per cent restriction for six months, whereas the Dutch insist on 20 per cent for the three months.

The "Financial Times" now learns that the Dutch rubber growers are demanding twenty per cent restriction and the British thirty. It is understood the Dutch may compromise at twenty-five per cent but will not consider thirty except in the most pressing circumstances.

The next meeting of the International Rubber Committee will not be convened until there is reasonable hope of agreement.

Reuter.

FURTHER SLUMP IN JAPAN

Tokyo, Nov. 1.

The Stock Exchange has experienced a further slump, the losses ranging from four to ten points in the case of gold mines and munitions.

Reuter.

LOCAL RUGGER

Saturday's Games

The following have been selected to represent the Hong Kong Football Club First XV in their friendly rugby game with the Navy First XV on the Club Ground, Happy Valley, at 4.15 p.m. on Saturday, November 3.

G. P. Lammert; J. J. Ferguson, I. G. Robertson, J. Hutchison, H. R. McGilchrist; M. W. Turner, H. C. Meeker; A. F. Walkden, W. E. Peers, G. A. Stewart, I. H. Bradford, S. H. Garrod, J. C. Miller, D. McLellan (Capt.), K. A. Munro.

The Navy will be represented by: Lt. Christian Smith (Suffolk); Pay: Lt. Howell Davies (Adventure); Lt. Franks (Wren); St. Marsh (Suffolk); A. B. Hoskyns (Eagle); Mid. Darley (Suffolk); A. B. Hinchcliffe (Eagle); St. Keane (Suffolk); Lt. Collard (Adventure); A. B. Sowden (Whitehall); Mid. Spurway (Suffolk); Lt. Evans (Suffolk); Lt. Gardner, (Eagle); Lt. Field (Oswald); A. B. Johns (Eagle).

Referee Major Major H. M. J. McIntyre, R.A.

Club "A" v. Navy "A"

At 3.00 p.m. the Club "A" XV will meet the Navy "A" XV on the same ground.

The Club will be represented by: R. Burch; R. Goldman, D. K. Hislop, W. H. B. Riggs, E. McGregor; J. L. Tate, P. J. Gardner; G. C. Moutrie (Capt.); R. G. Castleton, H. O. Bramble, W. G. C. Knowles, W. F. Kerr, D. A. Cummins, F. J. McGugan, J. T. Edkins.

The Navy will be represented by: Lt. Judd (Eagle); Lt. Davidson (Eagle); St. Jones (Suffolk); A. B. Gould, (Whitehall); A. B. Matthews (Suffolk); Lt. Pack Beresford (Bruce); Lt. Wallace (Wild Swan) capt; Lt. Whinney (Suffolk); Mid. Stacey (Suffolk); Mid. Willis (Suffolk); A. B. Eastman (Adventure); A. B. Salway (Wren); I. A. C. Williams (Eagle); Mid. Poulson (Suffolk); Pay. Sub. Lt. Baird (Suffolk).

Referee Lieut. R. E. P. Miers, R.N.

ALL THE FUN OF THE FAIR

To judge by the crowds that were enjoying themselves at Tall's Manila Carnival on the ground next to the Peninsula Hotel there it does not look as though there was any depression in the Colony, or perhaps people went there to forget that such a thing existed. If they did, when I am sure their minds were taken off their worries as it is impossible to keep your troubles with you when one gets amongst all the nonsensical things on the show ground.

A ride called the "Leaping Lena" seemed to be having a "hot time" of it. Elderly men who, I am sure, at any other time would not have let themselves go, were sitting in their little motor cars being bumped up and down, and round and round, and just roaring with laughter. They say it gives you the "Kruschen feeling," and I am not at all surprised.

The ever popular "Dodgem" was drawing big crowds while others seemed to prefer the Big Wheel. Not only the kiddies were enjoying the Merry-go-Round for I noticed a number of grown-ups riding as well.

Then there is a slide some 30 feet high. One walks to the top and slides down a chute on a mat. I am told this was built by a firm in Kowloon when the Carnival was here last year, which just goes to prove what good work we can turn out here.

The slide shows were full of variety and interest. The Wall of Death, in which two daring boys, "Reckless Eddy" and "Dare-devil Red" perform, one riding a motor cycle and the other driving a small motor car, is advertised as a show to take your breath away.

Tarzan, the wild man, gives a good and novel show and seems quite attached to his big snakes. The Hula dancers seem as popular as ever.

There is also a living statue act, which consists of girls posing in different subjects; fortune tellers; wild men; shooting and other games; but the one that appealed to me most was called "Smashing up the appy ome." It certainly does relieve your feelings.

Then came the much advertised and talked about "free diving act." At 10.45 p.m. a big crowd had gathered around the tank of water into which the divers were going to dive. An announcement was made and Feejay Higgins and his lady partner were introduced. The lady then mounted her ladder,

LOCAL FOOTBALL

Young Indians Withdraw

The Young Indians Football Club have forwarded a copy of the letter they sent the Hong Kong Football Association in regard to their withdrawal from the Hong Kong Football League Division II:—

I have been directed by my committee to write to you informing you that they have decided to withdraw from the second division of the Hong Kong Football League in view of the strong attitude adopted by your emergency committee and the heavy sentence inflicted on one of our members.

In support of my above statement I beg to draw the attention of your committee to the other sentences passed on other offenders. In the case of a Kowloon player striking an opponent on the field sentence of only one month was inflicted and in the case of the Naval man ordered off for a same offence against a Young Indian player a caution was merely given. In the match between the Railway and the Club de Recreio in which a player was ordered off and the game abandoned the same player was only suspended for roughly 10 weeks. This game I am sure is more serious than the match between the Club and ourselves. Baker was ordered off for alleged fouling an opponent and sentence of two months was passed.

The Captain's attention was drawn at your Emergency meeting held on the 25th October in which he was severely cautioned and was warned that should any of the Young Indian players be ordered off the field in the future the whole team will be suspended.

In view of the strong warning I cannot guarantee that such incidents will not take place as I am sure you will agree with me that even in the best and well disciplined and regulated teams such unfortunate incidents are bound and liable to happen. We therefore take this opportunity of withdrawing ourselves rather than be ignominiously suspended from the league.

The Young Indians might have a bad record last year and anything that they might have done had always been taken into consideration of their past records. I am sure other Clubs have as bad if not worse records than ours.

Although we are withdrawing from the League this does not mean that we are not affiliated to the Association still. Please take note that we are not turning up for the match against the University this week.

I have also sent a copy of this letter to the Press for their perusal—Yours truly,

Young Indians Football Club,
N. B. MAHOMED,
Secretary.

LOCAL CRICKET

C.C.C. v I.R.C.

The following have been selected to represent the Club in first and second division friendly fixtures with the I.R.C. on Saturday, Nov. 3.

1st XI (I.R.C. Ground):—A. B. Hamson (Capt.), F. R. Zimmermann, F. K. Lee, E. C. Barry, L. Hubbard, G. Souza, G. A. Lee, A. R. H. Esmaill, J. L. Youngs, A. Kitchell and J. W. Leonard.

2nd XI (Home Ground):—W. K. Way (Capt.), C. W. Lam, A. Huml, J. R. Luke, N. Broadbridge, E. B. Hamson, Y. Abbas, G. Lai, E. Souza, C. E. Wong and E. S. Cunningham.

which is just over 50 feet high, with hands poised above her head, she executed a perfect swan dive; her act being received with great applause. During this time, Feejay began mounting higher and higher until he stood on a small platform, 100 feet up in the air. I have never been in so big a crowd before where there was such a deadly silence, everyone seemed to hold his breath waiting for the great event. Feejay, all unconcerned, stood on his little platform with his back facing the tank below, then slowly falling backwards he turned a complete somersault and landed right into the middle of the tank. As he emerged from his tank he was received with thundering applause. It certainly is a most wonderful performance and one which no one should miss seeing.

LOCAL HOCKEY

Radio Club Fixtures

The following will represent Radio Sports Club "Cosmos" team in a friendly hockey match against H.M.S. Wild Swan on Friday at Caroline Hill:—U. B. Sousa; R. Aycock, J. S. Grewal; Jagreet Singh; Parduman Singh, J. M. Tavares; Bhagwan Singh, Attar Singh; Surjit Singh; Harbhajan Singh, N. Osman.

Reserves: Lo So, Jangeer Singh. The following are the Radio Sports Club hockey fixtures for the month of November 1934:—

- 1.—Radio Cosmos v. Queen's College, Radio, 5 p.m.
- 2.—Radio 1st XI v. Club de Recreio, King's Pk., 5.10 p.m.
- 3.—Radio Indians v. St. Andrews, Marina, 5.10 p.m.
- 4.—Radio 1st XI v. Royal Engineers, Radio, 5 p.m.
- 5.—S.W. Borderers v. Radio 1st XI, Radio, 5 p.m.
- 6.—Radio Indians v. Royal C. Signals, Marina, 5 p.m.
- 7.—Y.M.C.A. 1st XI v. Radio 1st XI, King's Pk., 5.10 p.m.
- 8.—Radio Cosmos v. H.K.S.R.A. 5th Bty., Marina, 5 p.m.
- 9.—Fixtures for December, 1934:—
- 10.—H.K.S.R.A. 5th Bty. v. Radio Indians, Marina, 5.10 p.m.
- 11.—S.W. Borderers v. Radio Indians, Radio, 5.15 p.m.
- 12.—Y.M.C.A. 2nd XI v. Radio Cosmos, King's Pk., 5.10 p.m.
- 13.—H.K. Police v. Radio 1st XI, Radio, 4.45 p.m.
- 14.—H.K.R.C. 2nd XI v. Radio Cosmos, Radio, 5 p.m.
- 15.—S.W. Borderers v. Radio Cosmos, Radio, 5 p.m.

INTER-LEAGUE SOCCER

England Beats Scotland

Stanford Bridge, Oct. 31. In icy winds and rain, 16,000 shivering fans watched the English League players defeat the Scottish League team by two goals to one in spite of having had the worst of exchanges generally.

For three-quarters of the game the Scottish forwards outplayed the English team easily, running all around the remarkably weak English halves.

At the interval Scotland led by one goal, scored by McCulloch, and it appeared that the northern team must win.

England, however, played up after resumption and persistently attacked. Brook scored finally after a really brilliant effort and added another goal a little later. —*Reuter.*

DERBY PONIES AUCTIONED

Very Low Prices Paid

Four Derby griffins, eligible to race in the 1935 Derby were sold by public auction at Happy Valley yesterday, but the prices fetched were very low indeed.

The first pony to come under the hammer was a bay gelding of 14 hands, four years of age. The pony was purchased by Captain Allen for \$30.

The next pony, a grey of 14 and, which was six years old, was purchased by Mr. Wong Ping Shun at \$40. This pony is a promising looking pony and may do well in sprint events. The third pony sold was an iron-grey griffin, five years old. It was bought by Mr. Y. W. Pau for \$170 and the remaining griffin, the best of all, perhaps, went for \$100, the purchaser being the well known jockey, Mr. A. J. P. Hazard.

A sub-griffin which had not been drawn for was sold for \$10. Fair View and Bold Marshall each fetched \$50 and Sea View, the winner of the Macao Derby this year, fetched \$45.

GRAF ZEPPELIN'S TRIP

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Friedrichshafen, Oct. 31. The airship Graf Zeppelin arrived last night in Pernambuco, Brazil, according to a wireless message received here on Wednesday. —*Transocean Kuo Min.*

BASEBALL IN BERLIN

Japanese-American Battle

New York, Nov. 1. Baseball will be added to the 1936 Berlin Olympic programme according to Mr. F. W. Ruben, a member of the Olympic Committee.

He says that Berlin wants a team from Japan to play one from the United States and is anxious to have everything correct.

The Germans have asked for rules of the contest and arrangement of the field. The present plan is to have a night game. —*Reuter.*

HIGH FINANCE IN BASEBALL

New York, Oct. 31. Closing a deal estimated to involve the expenditure of \$100,000, the New York Giants baseball club has announced the acquisition of Dick Bartell, star shortstop of the Philadelphia Phillies.

This is the first major move on the part of the Giants' club to improve their infield and take a place in the race for the 1935 pennant.

With the cash payment, the Giants gave the Philadelphia club John Blend Ryan, Johnny Vergez, George Watkins and John Puzello. —*Reuter.*

HOME RUGGER

London, Oct. 31. The Eastern Counties and Kent both recorded wins in the County Rugby Championship to-day.

At Southend the Eastern Counties beat Middlesex by 18 points to 13, while at Southampton, Hampshire lost to Kent by 15 points to 8. —*Reuter.*

WARNING TO TRAITORS

Death For High Treason

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Oct. 31. A warning has been issued to traitors by the Berlin Press Bureau of the Ministry of Justice in a statement published on Wednesday which points out that the punishment meted out till now by the "people's court" to persons accused of high treason has been comparatively mild in all the cases tried of crimes committed before May 1, 1934 when the new law came into force establishing the principle of death penalty as the only punishment for treason.

Several accused have been sentenced to death on the basis of the old law and many have received sentences up to 15 years' hard labour, but in future all who are convicted of treason must reckon on losing their heads. —*Transocean Kuo Min.*

DUTCH DELEGATE'S DEATH

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Geneva, Oct. 31. The vice-President of the League of Nations Mandates Commission, the Dutch delegate Van Reek died on Wednesday in Montreaux of a long illness. —*Transocean Kuo Min.*

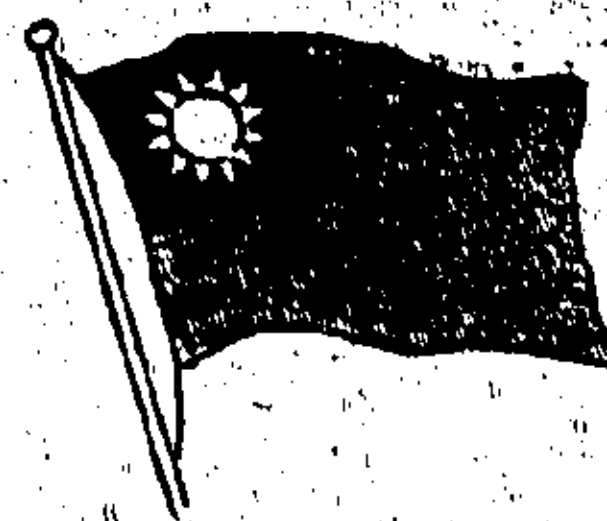
"SUICIDE" STRIKERS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Warsaw, Oct. 31. The hunger strike of 300 Polish miners in Zablenze, Polish Upper Silesia, who descended into a pit of the Kelofas mine on Tuesday and vowed not to come out till the management have complied with their demands for the reopening of the pits which they have closed down and the reinstatement of 100 dismissed comrades, has proved a great success since the management, after consulting with the Government representative, conceded all the demands whereupon the strikers immediately resumed work. —*Transocean Kuo Min.*

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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

A drop of 3/16 in the Readu rate and 1/4 in the Forward rate, was recorded in Silver prices yesterday, the quotations being 23 1/2 and 23 7/16 respectively. Covering by speculators was the main cause for the drop but at the lower rate reached America was a buyer, the market finishing with a steady tone, sellers apparently being reluctant to operate. In New York the price was 52 1/2.

In New York Sterling opened at 4.98 1/2 and closed a little easier at 4.97 1/2.

Markets Steady but quiet.

Opened with sellers at 1/7 1/2 November and 1/7 1/2 December but business was soon done at 1/7 1/2 for near delivery followed by transactions at 1/7 1/2 for cash and 1/7 1/2 December and also second half November. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 1/7 1/2 for cash and 1/7 1/2 December, buyers at 1/32 higher respectively.

U.S. Dollars Business was done at 40 7/16 for second half November and 40 1/2 December. The market closed with sellers at 40 1/2 November and 40 1/2 December, buyers probably at 40 7/16 for cash and 40 9/16 December.

Shanghai Dollars Were quoted at 12 1/2 for near delivery.

Shanghai Market Early advices indicated sellers at 1/3 15/16 for near delivery but later the market steadied up to sellers at 1/4 for cash. Dollars, early advices indicated sellers at 33 3/16 but later sellers were indicated at 33 5/16 for near delivery, buyers at 33 7/16.

IN THE AFTERNOON The market was steady in the afternoon.

Sterling In Sterling business was reported at 1/7 1/2 for near delivery followed by transactions at 1/7 1/2 for cash and 1/7 1/2 December and 1/7 1/2 for cash and 1/7 1/2 December, buyers at 1/7 1/2 for cash and 1/7 1/2 December, and 1/7 1/2 for cash and 1/7 1/2 December.

U.S. Dollars Business was done at 40 9/16 for December delivery. The market closed with sellers at 40 7/16 near and 40 1/2 December, buyers at 40 9/16 November and 40 1/2 December.

Shanghai Dollars Sellers at 12 1/2, buyers at 12 1/2 cash.

Shanghai Market Sterling, no change in the afternoon session. Dollars opened at 33 1/2 and eased off slightly to 33 3/16.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Practically no change in rates took place during the day and trading was rather restricted.

SALES

Underwriters, \$1.15. Providents (Old), \$1.80. H.K. Lands 4 per cent. Debentures, 2 per cent. Prem. H.K. Trams, \$19.70/19.80. Electric, \$38.

BUYERS

Hong Kong Banks, \$16.40. Union Insurance, \$520. Underwriters, \$1.10. Benquet Explorations, 18 cts. Gold River, 22 cts. Raubs, \$10. Wharves, \$107. Docks, \$12.70. Providents (Old), \$1.53. Hong Kong Lands, \$51. H.K. Trams, \$19.63. Yaumati Ferries, \$22. China Lights (Old), \$8.90. China Lights (New), \$8.70. Telephone (Old), \$23.15. Singapore Traction, 4/3. Singapore Traction (Pref), 17/9. Canton Ice, \$3. Construction (New), 75 cts. Govt. 3 1/2 per cent. Loan, 2 per cent. Prem. SELLERS

Hotels, \$4.80. Cements, \$2.15. Sandakan Lights, \$8.

RAW RUBBER

Messrs. H. B. Joseph and Co., received the following Straits Currency quotations (Buyers and Sellers) from Singapore for Raw Rubber.

April/June 25 sellers 25 1/4 (Time received 11.22 a.m.)

April/June 25 3/4 sellers 25 (Time received 12.41 p.m.)

Market is uncertain but we think an advance is possible.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

On	Sterling Parity	Oct. 31	Oct. 31
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.37	7.35 1/2
Athens	275 Drachmas	515 S.	517 S.O.
Belgrade	278,316 Dinars	217	219
Berlin	90.43 Marks	12.38 1/2	12.36
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	1/6 1/16	1/6 1/16
Brussels	36 Belgas	21.38	21.34
Bucharest	813,566 Lei	495	500
Buenos Aires	47,564 per Peso	36 1/2 S.O.	36 1/2 S.O.
Copenhagen	18.156 Kroner	22.39 1/2	22.40
Gangwa	25.23 Francs	15.31	15.23
Hankow	193.23 Marks	226 1/2	226 1/2
Hongkong	110 Escudos	110 1/2	110 1/2
Lisbon	25.22 Pesetas	36 7/16	36 1/2
Madrid	92.46 Lira	58 3/16	58 3/16
Milan	50.884 per Lire	39 1/2 S.O.	39 1/2 S.O.
Montevideo	4.867 Dollars	4.86 1/2	4.86 1/2
Montreal	4.867 Dollars	4.86 1/2	4.86 1/2
New York	18.156 Kroner	19.90 1/2	19.90 1/2
Oslo	194.21 Francs	75 21/32	75 17/32
Paris	164.25 Kronen	119	119 1/2
Rio de Janeiro	26.934 per Gold Milreis	44 S.O.	44 S.O.
Shanghai	1/4	1/4	1/4
Stockholm	18.156 Kroner	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Vienna	34.56 Schillings	27	26 1/2
Yokohama	24.564 per Yen	1/2	1/2
Silver (spot)	23 9/16	23 1/2	23 1/2
Silver (forward)	23 11/16	23 7/16	23 7/16
War Loan	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2

Closing Quotations

November 1, 1934.

ON LONDON:-	ON NEW YORK:-
Telegraphic Transfer... 1/7 1/2	Bank Bills, on demand 3/8
Bank Bills, on demand 1/7 1/2	Credits, 60 days sight 41
Bank Bills, 4 months 1/7 1/2	ON BATAVIA:-
Credits, four months 1/7 1/2	On demand 58 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:-	On demand 58 1/2
On demand 119 1/2	Bank Bills, on demand 5/10
ON SINGAPORE:-	Credits, 4 months sight 630
On demand 67 1/2	ON SAIGON:-
ON JAPAN:-	On demand 80
On demand 136 1/2	ON MANILA:-
ON INDIA:-	On demand 7 1/2
Telegraphic Transfer... 106 1/2	ON BANGKOK:-
Bank, on demand 106 1/2	On demand 116 1/2
	SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying
	Rate 1/7 1/2
	BAR SILVER, per oz. 23 1/2

CANTON SILK MARKET

The Kwangtung Raw Silk Testing Bureau, Department of Reconstruction, Canton, China.

Canton Quotations

October 30: Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$380N. Small Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$355N.

Crack N.S. 14/16 H.K. 280N. Extra Extra 20/22 H.K. \$260N. Waste N.S. Open H.K. \$51N.

Yokohama Quotations.

October 31. Opening Spot Yen 515. Bourse six months Yen 526.

New York Quotations

October 30. Bid Ask December 1.15 1.15 1/2. February 1.18 1.18 1/2. April 1.17 1.17 1/2.

New York Quotations are obtained through Courtesy of American Oriental Finance Corporation.

H.K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

BUYERS

Underwriters, \$1.10. Gold River, 21 1/2 cents. Raubs, \$10.30. Lands, \$51. Humphreys, \$9. Wharves, \$107. Providents (Old), \$1.1. Trams, \$19.70. Yaumati Ferries, \$22. Lights (Old), \$8.90. Lights (New), \$8.70. Telephone (Old), \$23.15. Telephone (New), \$23.15. Singapore Traction, 4/3. Singapore Traction (Pref), 17/9. Canton Ice, \$3. Construction (New), 75 cts. Govt. 3 1/2 per cent. Loan, 2 per cent. S.C. Enterprise, \$1.20.

SELLERS

Underwriters, \$1.20. Antamoks, 57 cents. Hotels, \$4.80. Lands, \$51.2. Ewos, \$10.30. Lights (Old), \$9. Lights (New), \$8.90. Electric, \$38.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright) 11. Berlin, Oct. 31. Reichsmark quotations (without guarantee):

New York 40.27. Paris 610.81. Amsterdam 50.5. Paris Sterling 75.85. Dollar 15.1. Transocean Kuo Min.

STEEL CARTEL RENEWED

New Agreement Means Breakdown

The steel cartel has at last been renewed for another year. But as members are now allowed to work liberally, it is nothing more than a virtual breakdown. The idea is that all members are provided with an opportunity to discuss the formulation of a suitable working agreement to replace existing one during the interval.

The foregoing agreement was necessary to adjust the strained relations between the Japan Iron Manufacturing Company and other steel works through the former's proposal to wind up the cartel. As noted in yesterday's issue, all steel works stoutly opposed the proposal, saying that the sudden abolition will deal a serious blow to them. At Tuesday's sitting, representatives of the Japan Iron Manufacturing Company explained the position of their Company, saying that the proposal did not mean that the Company wanted freedom. It is ready to co-operate with all works. Its main object is to modify the existing agreement which in its opinion does not suit actual market conditions.

It was then agreed that while allowing all members to disregard the existing working arrangement the cartel should try to formulate a more comprehensive agreement covering bars, squares, flats and angles. Nowadays all manufacturers are working out capacity, and so cannot convert to other lines or start new lines immediately. If, therefore, the new agreement is drawn up quickly, there will not be any serious effect on the market, it is believed.

According to the Japanese press, it was largely at the Department of Commerce's suggestion that the Japan Iron Manufacturing Company proposed the winding up of the cartel. In establishing the Japan Iron Manufacturing Company, the Government had in mind the control of the industry. The Company has so far failed to control the market but on the contrary, is led by outsiders. This is largely because of the fact that the Yawata Iron Works, the kernel of the Company, has hitherto refrained from competing in lines in which private works have a strong footing. The Department of Commerce and Industry now wishes to allow the Company to extend its activities so as to attain the original aim of controlling the market. The third extension scheme of the Company is part of this Government programme.

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CONSIGNEE NOTICES

MAERSK LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE M.S. "NORA MAERSK" having arrived from New York and Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after Monday, 5th November, 1934, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Saturday, 3rd November, 1934, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All Claims must reach us before the Thursday, 29th November, 1934, or they will not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JEBSEN & CO., Agents.

Hong Kong, 29th Oct. 1934. [2965]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD. STEAMER "BOUDAN."

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No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th Nov. 1934, will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Underinsured on or before the 18th Nov. 1934, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 3rd Nov. 1934, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hong Kong, 29th Oct. 1934. [2966]

CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"CHENG TU"	On 2nd Nov. 6 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KING YUAN"	On 2nd Nov. 6 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"NEW WANG"	On 2nd Nov. 6 a.m.
HOIHOW & SHANGHAI	"KAYING"	On 2nd Nov. 6 a.m.
SHANGHAI	"KING HONG"	On 3rd Nov. 6 a.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KING HONG"	On 3rd Nov. 6 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SZU HONG"	On 3rd Nov. 6 a.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI	"TEAN"	On 4th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KWEI YANG"	On 4th Nov. 10 a.m.
AMOI, SWATOW	"ANSHUN"	On 8th Nov. 8 a.m.
NINGBO & SHANGHAI	"NINSHAN"	On 8th Nov. 8 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SOOCHOW"	On 8th Nov. 8 a.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TIANAN"	On 9th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW, AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KING HONG"	On 9th Nov. 10 a.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KING HONG"	On 9th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SHANTUNG"	On 11th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI	"HUNAN"	On 11th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KING HONG"	On 11th Nov. 10 a.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI	"TAMING"	On 11th Nov. 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKIANG"	On 14th Nov. 10 a.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TIANAN"	On 14th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW, AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KING HONG"	On 14th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUNING"	On 15th Nov. 10 a.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI	"HUPEH"	On 18th Nov. 1 a.m.

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TAIPING	4 Jan.	11 Jan.	12 Jan.	27 Jan.
CHANGTE	8 Feb.	15 Feb.	18 Feb.	6 Mar.

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NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN.

Haiching, Douglas, November 2.	Amoy.
Hosang, Jardine's, November 2.	Kingyuan, B. & S., November 2.
Sirihana, B.I. (Apar), November 2.	Anshun, B. & S., November 2.
Haining, Douglas, November 6.	Tsinan, B. & S., November 7.
Haiyang, Douglas, November 9.	Kingchow, B. & S., November 9.
Taiyuan, B. & S., November 14.	Takada, B.I. (Apar), November 15.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Nov. 18.	Cheloo.
Yatsing, Jardine's, November 4.	Hopang, Jardine's, November 11.
Hunan, B. & S., November 11.	Dahy.
Teau, B. & S., November 4.	Yatsing, Jardine's, November 4.
Patroclus, B. & S., November 10.	Ramess, Jebson's, November 10.
Taming, B. & S., November 11.	Trier, Melchers, November 17.
Sauerland, Jebson's, November 22.	Trave, Melchers, November 25.
Foochow.	Haiching, Douglas, November 2.
Teau, B. & S., November 4.	Yatsing, Jardine's, November 4.
Haining, Douglas, November 6.	Haiyang, Douglas, November 9.
Hopang, Jardine's, November 11.	Hunan, B. & S., November 11.
Taming, B. & S., November 11.	Hosang, Jardine's, November 2.

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA

Bahia.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.	Baltimore.
Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.	Nora Maerk, Jebson's, November 27.
Beaton and New York.	Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.	Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.
Nora Maerk, Jebson's, November 27.	Orizaba.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.	Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.
Havana.	Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.
Honolulu.	Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, November 3.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 14.	Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.	Los Angeles.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 14.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.	Nora Maerk, Jebson's, November 27.
Panama.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Nora Maerk, Jebson's, November 27.	Philadelphia.
Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.	Nora Maerk, Jebson's, November 27.
San Francisco.	Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, November 3.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 14.	Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.	Nora Maerk, Jebson's, November 27.
Nora Maerk, Jebson's, November 27.	Seattle.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, November 9.	Pres. McKinley, A. M. Line, Nov. 23.
Vancouver, B.C.	Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., November 2.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 16.	Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 30.
Victoria, B.C.	Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., November 2.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, November 9.	Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 16.
Pres. McKinley, A. M. Line, Nov. 23.	Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 30.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West.	Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., November 2.
Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.	Tai Ping, B. & S., November 18.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.	Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.
Banjocwangi.	Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.	Bangkok.
Kaying, B. & S., November 2.	Haiyang, Douglas, November 9.
Kwaiyang, B. & S., November 4.	Bintang, Mannen's, November 9.
Hiran, Thoresen's, November 11.	Nora Maerk, Jebson's, November 27.
Kingchow, B. & S., November 11.	Hellas, Thoresen's, November 18.
Hermod, Thoresen's, November 25.	Batavia.
Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.	Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.
Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.	Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.	Brisbane.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., November 2.	Tai Ping, B. & S., November 18.
Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.	Breema.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.	Cebu.
Tai Ping, B. & S., November 18.	Darby.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.	Freemantle.
Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.	Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.
Haliphong.	Kwangtung, B. & S., November 3.
Yochow, B. & S., November 9.	Hobart.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., November 2.	Madras.
Kwangtung, B. & S., November 3.	Anshun, B. & S., November 6.
Bintang, Mannen's, November 9.	Yochow, B. & S., November 9.
Yochow, B. & S., November 9.	Macao.
Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.	Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.
Frederick, Melchers, December 3.	Madras.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., November 2.	Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Nov. 17.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 9.	Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, Nov. 10.	Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, Nov. 13.	Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.
Tai Ping, B. & S., November 18.	Pres. McKinley, A. M. Line, Nov. 23.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 22.	Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, Nov. 24.
Melbourne.	Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., November 2.
Tai Ping, B. & S., November 18.	Pakhoi.
Kwangtung, B. & S., November 3.	Yochow, B. & S., November 9.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., November 2.	Frederick, Melchers, December 3.
Mannang, Jardine's, November 3.	Semarang.
Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.	Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., November 2.
Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.	Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.

INDO-CHINA

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATIONS

To	STEAMER	Date
TSINGTAO via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"DAVIKIN"	Sun. 4th Nov. at 7 a.m.
	"KWAISANG"	Wed. 7th Nov. at 7 a.m.
	"NOBVIKEN"	Sun. 11th Nov. at 7 a.m.
	"FOOSHING"	Wed. 14th Nov. at 7 a.m.
Kobe via AMOI, SHAI & OSAKA	"KUMSANG"	Sun. 18th Nov. at 9 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUTSANG"	Thurs. 8th Nov. at Noon
ANDAMAN	"MAUSANG"	Satur. 3rd Nov. at Noon
	"HINSANG"	Thurs. 8th Nov. at Noon
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, FOOCHOW, CHEFOO & DALNI	"YATSHING"	Sun. 4th Nov. at 7 a.m.
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, FOOCHOW & CHEFOO	"HOPSANG"	Sun. 11th Nov. at 7 a.m.

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HIVE MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Saturday, 10th Nov.
BEIAN MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 26th Nov.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM.
HARUNA MARU ... Saturday, 10th Nov.
KATORI MARU ... Saturday, 24th Nov.
KASHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 8th Dec.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Port.
KITANO MARU ... Saturday, 24th Nov.
ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 8th Dec.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.
GINYO MARU ... Monday, 12th Nov.
TOKIWA MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Nov.
ANYO MARU ... Tuesday, 11th Dec.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.
BOKUYO MARU ... Friday, 4th Jan.

NEW YORK via Panama.
NAKO MARU ... Wednesday, 14th Nov.
NOSHIBO MARU ... Monday, 10th Dec.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus.
Genoa and Valencia.
TOYOOKA MARU ... Friday, 16th Nov.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.
TSUSHIMA MARU ... Thursday, 8th Nov.
PENANG MARU ... Thursday, 15th Nov.
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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances,
Ships in Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 15,400 TONS;
THROUGH CARGO
42,900 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:

British	Cargo for Through	H.K.	Ports.
Emp. of Russia, Manila	29	289	
Carthage, Singapore	560	750	
Sirdhana, Singapore	1,673	4,958	
Atrous, Shanghai	200	2,500	
Dardanus, Singapore	289	7,897	
Ho Sang, Singapore	1,957	3,879	
Yat Shing, Canton	—	163	
Tai Yuan, Canton	—	700	
Szechuen, Swatow	220	550	
King Yuan, Holhow	2,493	1,340	
Hydrangea, Swatow	250	—	
Hal Ching, Swatow	220	—	
Lyeemooon, Saigon	1,500	—	
Taikoo, Touraine	—	9,392	22,826
German, Manilla	500	7,084	
Oder, Manilla	500	7,084	
Dutch, Tjibadak	Muntok 2,450	4,631	
Cremer, Swatow	—	1,152	
Norwegian, Swatow	—	2,450	5,783
Daviken, Swatow	472	700	
Halvdan, Bangkok	1,660	—	700
Japanese, Himalaya Maru	Moji 543	5,089	
Fukuyin Maru, Swatow	87	—	
Deli Maru, Canton	—	—	
Himeji Maru, Sea Fishing	75	—	5,089
Chinese, Voo Yang, Swatow	300	1,500	
Total	15,479	42,982	

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:

Sirdhana (Br.), Singapore	392
Dardanus (Br.), Singapore	33
Ho Sang (Br.), Singapore	192
Tai Yuan (Br.), Canton	96
Szechuen (Br.), Swatow	59
King Yuan (Br.), Holhow	188
Hydrangea (Br.), Swatow	250
Hal Ching (Br.), Swatow	124
Lyeemooon (Br.), Saigon	402
Tjibadak (Dut.), Muntok	554
Cremer (Dut.), Swatow	967
Daviken (Nor.), Swatow	87
Total	3,322

ARRIVALS

31ST OCTOBER

Ho Sang, British steamer, 3,293 tons, Captain T. Grant, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—J. M. & Co.
June, Dutch steamer, 1,385 tons, Captain D. Roelfsema, from Canton, Tai Kok Tsui.—A. P. C.

Oder, German steamer, 5,329 tons, Captain Vogt, from Manilla, Kowloon Wharf.—Melchers & Co.

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Anshun, British steamer, 1,869 tons, Captain J. McCulloch, from Amoy, buoy No. B15.—B. & S.
Mary Moller, British steamer, 1,674 tons, Captain C. Mason, from Chinwangtao, buoy No. B25.—G. Grimble & Co.

Chengtu, British steamer, 1,338 tons, Captain F. M. Booth, from Canton, Talkoo Dock.—B. & S.

Kwangtung, British steamer, 1,572 tons, Captain D. D. Richards, from Swatow, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.

Carthage, British steamer, 7,883 tons, Captain H. M. Jack, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. & Co.

Himalaya Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,187 tons, Captain N. Imato, from Moji, buoy No. A16.—Osaka Shosen Kaisha.

Shantung, Swedish steamer, 3,982 tons, Captain W. E. Bergerud, from Shanghai, buoy No. A7.—Gillman & Co.

Yuan On, Chinese steamer, 1,116 tons, Captain H. O. Udden, from Shanghai, C. M. S. N. Wharf.—C.M.S.N. & Co.

Tjibadak, Dutch steamer, 4,801 tons, Captain H. de Jonge, from Muntok, buoy No. A2.—J. C. J. Line.

Lyeemooon, British steamer, 1,734 tons, Captain E. Holmes, from Saigon, buoy No. B10.—Wo Fat Sing.

CLEARANCES

1ST NOVEMBER

Hydrangea, from Swatow.
New Mathilde, for Saigon.
Cremer, for Singapore.
Tjibadak, for Amoy.
Tehetam, for Holhow.
Oder, for Shanghai.
June, for Swatow.

Deli Maru, for Swatow.
Yuan On, for Canton.
Himalaya Maru, for Singapore.
Kwangtung, for Canton.
Mary Moller, for Canton.
Atrous, for Singapore.
Shantung, for Manilla.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:

	Arr.	Dep.
British	14	54
German	1	0
Dutch	2	1
Norwegian	2	3
French	0	1
Japanese	4	2
Chinese	1	0
Total	24	16

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon:—Empress of Russia, Nellore, Sirdhana, Carthage, Ho Sang, Oder.
Saikong:—Tin Seng.
Chiu On:—Hydrangea.

DOCKS

Kowloon:—Silver Sandal, Proteus, Hang Sang, Dalemore, Buntang.
Talkoo:—H.M.S. Osiris, Glaucus, Yuet On, Ying Chow, Kwai Yang, Kwang Chow.

BUOYS

No. A1.—Atrous.
No. A2.—Tjibadak.
No. A3.—Diomed.
No. A7.—Shantung.
No. A15.—Cremer.
No. A16.—Himalaya Maru.
No. B3.—Kaying.
No. B4.—Halvdan.
No. B5.—New Mathilde.
No. B8.—Yat Shing.
No. B10.—Lyeemooon.
No. B11.—Helios.
No. B14.—King Yuan.
No. B22.—Mau Sang.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The s.s. Menelaus (Butterfield & Swire) will arrive from Singapore on the 5th instant at 6 p.m.

The E. & A. s.s. Tania (MacKinnon Mackenzie & Co. Agents) left Manilla for this Port on the 31st ult. at p.m. with the outward mails, and is due here to-morrow at about a.m.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The list of steamers expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong to-day:

Soudan, Nara Maersk, June, Mary Moller, Nanchang, Asama Maru, Somerville, Deli Maru, Diomed, Storenordiske, Eleni Sygna, Tai Yuan, Hokkoh Maru, Si Kiang, Helikon, Himeji Maru.

NEW SHIPS ORDERED

The Hanseatic Shipping and Operative Co. of Bremen, which was formed some time ago to facilitate the acquisition of new ships by German companies, has placed a further order with the Weser Shipbuilding and Engineering Co. of Bremen for a passenger and cargo steamer for the East Asiatic service of the North German Lloyd. The vessel will be a sister ship of the steamer which is already under construction at the same yard for the East Asiatic service of the company. The latter is to be ready for commissioning next spring, while the second ship is to be completed in the autumn of 1935.

New African Service

Elder Dempster Lines, Ltd. of Liverpool, have requested the leading shipbuilding firms in the United Kingdom and Ireland to tender for the construction of a passenger mail and cargo liner for their Liverpool-West African service.

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"BRUTAN"	6,000	10th Nov.	Mara, Havre, London, H'g, R'dm, A'warp, & Hull
"JEYPORE"	4,300	4th Nov.	S'pore, Pang, Colombo & B'bay
"CHITRAL"	15,000	17th Nov.	Marcellus and London
"BEHAR"	8,100	24th Nov.	Bombay, Mara, Havre, London, H'g, R'dm, A'warp, & Hull
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	1st Dec.	Bombay, Marcellus & London
"SOUDAN"	7,000	8th Dec.	Bombay, Mara, Havre, London, H'g, R'dm, A'warp, & Hull
"BANPUHA"	17,000	15th Dec.	Bombay, Marcellus & London
"CORFU"	15,000	22nd Dec.	Bombay, Mara, Havre, London, H'g, R'dm, A'warp, & Hull
"BURDWAN"	6,000	29th Dec.	Bombay, Marcellus & London
"RANCHI"	17,000	5th Jan.	Bombay, Mara, Havre, London, H'g, R'dm, A'warp, & Hull
"NALDERA"	15,000	12th Jan.	Bombay, Marcellus & London
"OMALI"	7,000	19th Jan.	Bombay, Mara, Havre, London, H'g, R'dm, A'warp, & Hull
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	26th Jan.	Bombay, Marcellus & London
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	2nd Feb.	Bombay, Mara, Havre, London, H'g, R'dm, A'warp, & Hull

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"SIRDHANA"	8,000	16th Nov.	do.
"TAKADA"	7,000	23rd Nov.	do.

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